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BUTLER URGES PREPAREDNESS

ALBANY EDITOR COMMENDS AIMS OF SPANISH WAR VETS.

TO TRENTON IN 1927

Three Day Conventions Here Close With Joint Session.—Resolutions Thank Maryville.

"It is almost impossible to prevent war. Because of that, the United States should maintain some measure of preparedness for trouble," Asa W. Butler, former Albany editor and now U. S. marshal at Kansas City, told the joint meeting this afternoon of the United Spanish War Veterans and its auxiliary.

Mr. Butler outlined the historical background of the Spanish American War, and urged the same spirit of patriotism which was manifest during that war to prevail in peace times.

"The greatest benefit which comes from a meeting of this kind," he said, "aside from the associations, is to cause the continued thought that the duty of the soldier in times of peace is to exercise the same devotion toward the country that he showed in the time of war.

"I believe it the duty of every loyal citizen to participate in the affairs of civic betterment, to take part in elections and to exercise suffrage in the same spirit in which men volunteer to go to war."

To Trenton Next Year.

The next annual encampment will be held in Trenton. A delegation from that city petitioned for the convention and was successful by a unanimous vote. Poplar Bluff bid for the meeting but had no representation here and was not considered.

The convention closed this afternoon with the joint installation of officers of the encampment and auxiliary at 1:30 o'clock at the Elks Club.

The baseball game yesterday afternoon, scheduled to be played between Battery C and the Combat Train nine of Albany, did not materialize because rain prevented the Albany team from coming. However, a pick-up game was played with some fifteen veterans alternating as umpire.

Last night the military ball at the Maryville Country Club was well attended. Herman A. Finke, past department commander, presented the Maryville post with a beautiful silk flag.

Negro Affiliation Rejected.

The veterans this morning rejected a resoluton which would have permitted the affiliation of camps of negro Spanish War Veterans. Both the veterans and the auxiliary adopted resolutions thanking the people of Maryville for their hospitality. The one adopted by the auxiliary read as follows:

"Whereas, The 6th annual Department Convention of Missouri A. U. S. W. V., is about to be concluded, and whereas the Delegates and Officers of this Department fully realize and appreciate the very pleasant and successful convention made possible for us through the untiring efforts of President Ruby A. Fryer and Sisters of the Aux. Dep't. Marshal Harry D. Snyder and Comrades of the Camp, and through the assistance and cooperation afforded them by the citizens of Maryville, therefore,

"Be it resolved: that we are deeply appreciative of the great hospitality shown us at this time. And also desire to thank the Maryville Chamber of Commerce, Elks Club, Woodman of the World, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, Veterans Association, Country Club, The First M. E. Church Mrs. Ralph Eversole and Mrs. Robinson for the vocal selections. The State Teachers College, The Swimming Pool and the wonderful Luncheon and Reception at the Country Club. And at this time we wish to express our most sincere thanks for kindness shown us at this convention, and be it further resolved that a copy hereof be forwarded to the aforesaid through the press and that same be spread upon the records of this 6th Annual Dep't. Convention of A. U. S. W. V. on this day of the 23rd of June, 1926."

The resolutions committee of the auxiliary was composed of Mrs. Clara Hendricks, St. Louis; Mrs. Edna Cox, St. Louis; and Mrs. Mary D. Crevistón, St. Joseph.

Mrs. Clara Hendricks of St. Louis, newly elected department president of

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Former Couple Here Happily Wed 62 Years

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Torrance Celebrate Anniversary at Springfield, Mo.—A Pioneer Grocer

Mr. and Mrs .H. E. Torrance, who lived for thirty-five years in Maryville, celebrated their sixty-second wedding anniversary on June 19 at the present home at 801 Rogers avenue, Springfield, Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. Torrance were married on what was then known as the Byers farm. He is 82 and she 81.

For some time, Mr. Torrance was manager here of the grocery store of his brother, Ben Torrance. He sold the first stalk of bananas ever brought into Maryville. All supplies were hauled here by team from St. Joseph, that being before Maryville knew a railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. Torrance moved to Trenton, Mo., and, after living there about twenty-five years, moved to Springfield, where they now live with their daughter, Mrs. Etta Torrance Bowen.

P. T. A. SCHOOL OPEN TUESDAY

THREE-DAY COURSES IN LEADERSHIP ARE OFFERED

6 COUNTIES INCLUDED

State President of Organization and National Instructor from Washington, D. C., to Be Here

Courses in leadership for parents and teachers will be offered at a district school of instruction to be held next week at the State Teachers College under the auspices of the Missouri Parent Teachers Association. The school will begin on June 29 and continue for three days, ending July 2.

Mrs. Paul Johnstone, state chairman of parents extension, will be director of the school, and Mrs. Charles E. Roe, national instructor, will be present. Mrs. Roe's headquarters are at Washington, D. C.

The classes will open at 8 o'clock each morning. From 9 to 10 a. m., Mrs. Johnstone will give outlines for programs or study classes on salacious literature, disobedience, discipline and habit formation. From 10 o'clock to 12:30, lectures will be given by the national representative field secretary, Mrs. Roe.

The sessions will be resumed at 1:30 o'clock for a half-hour session presided over by Mrs. W. A. Masters, St. Joseph, the state president, who will conduct a question box and a period for general information and current events. From 2 to 3 o'clock each day, pre-school work and high school work will be discussed.

After a period of study and recreation, night sessions will be held with Miss Grace Shepherd, B. M. Loomis and H. A. Foster, of the Teachers' College faculty, as instructors.

All the Parent-Teacher associations of the county are expected to send representatives to the school. The district also includes Atchison, Holt, Worth, Harrison and Gentry counties. Mrs. E. M. Findley of Graham is president of the district organization, and she has requested a full attendance from the Nodaway County chapters.

"The leadership courses are not for P.-T. A. members only, but for all patrons of our schools," said Mrs. Findley. "Everyone is invited and urged to attend."

The attendance from the Maryville P.-T. A. last year was disappointing, Mrs. Findley said. Unless the school is given better support this year, she warned that it would be the last to be held here. There are no tuition fees.

Mrs. Laura Denny Dies in Oklahoma

V. A. Guthrie left Sunday morning for Crescent, Okla., to attend the funeral Monday afternoon of his sister, Mrs. Laura (Guthrie) Denny, who died at Guthrie, Okla. Mrs. John Vert of Maryville is a sister.

Mrs. Denny was born near Burlington Junction where she lived until her marriage. She was the daughter of Judge F. S. Guthrie, an early settler of Nodaway County. Mrs. Denny and a younger sister visited their brother and sister and their families here for two months last fall.

John Todd of Guilford, who is attending court here, is a guest at the home of his cousin, Mrs. Emma DeMoss, on South Walnut street.

FOR CHANGING LICENSE, $50

COURT PENALIZES EUGENE SHORT FOR EVADING FEE.

MRS. PAXSTON WINS

Trust Company Must Pay $2,500, Jury Decides.—Lewis Wilcox to Jail.—Barnard Case Up Today.

Eugene Short, who was arrested last week on a charge of operating a motor car without license plates, was fined $50 by Judge Guy Park when he entered a plea of guilty to the charge this morning. Short had taken his 1925 license plates and had painted them yellow, the color of this year's plates, and then had tried to change the figure 5 in 1925 to 6 so as to read 1926.

Lewis Wilcox 19 years old was given six months in jail when he pleaded guilty to a charge of petit larceny. Wilcox stole some tires from I. V. Moore and erased the numbers from the tires. George Pat Wright, prosecuting attorney, told the court that a felony charge might have been filed but that, believing the court would not consent to a penitentiary sentence on account of his age and also for the reason of the additional costs of a preliminary hearing he had only filed a misdemeanor charge.

The jury in the damage suit of Mrs. Minnie Paxston vs. the Gillam-Jackson Loan and Trust Co., of this city, brought in a verdict for Mrs. Paxston for $2,500 and interest of $62.50, late yesterday afternoon. The verdict was signed by ten of the twelve jurors, only nine being necessary. The ten jurors were: John L. Porter, B. T. Wray, Charles H. Caldwell, Ed M. Adkins, S. P. Curnutt, R. E. Wray, John Tulloch, T. J. Tobin, G. H. Patterson and Ed M. Malvern. The case went to the jury about 5 o'clock and they reached a verdict about forty minutes later.

Farm Mortgage Involved.

Mrs. Paxston, through Roy Hanna, as cashier of the First National Bank, purchased a first mortgage farm loan from the Gillam-Jackson Loan and Trust Co. Mrs. Paxston contended that although the check for the first year interest was issued in her name, when the maker of the note in January, 1924, paid the Gillam-Jackson Loan and Trust Co., the money to take up and discharge the loan, the trust company, knowing at the time that she was the owner of the loan and that Hanna was only assuming to act as her agent in collection of the loan, nevertheless gave a check to Hanna personally.

Mrs. Paxston claimed Hanna had no authority to represent her in the collection of the loan and that he wrongfully opened her safety deposit box and abstracted the papers when he turned them over to the Gillam-Jackson Loan and Trust Co. The amount paid to Hanna was $2,663.71, and the only part Hanna ever paid to Mrs. Paxston was $163.70 interest, which he deposited to her account in the bank, it was declared. The remainder, $2,500, was invested by Hanna in a split second mortgage note which was placed in her box in lieu of the first mortgage farm loan. This split second mortgage was later foreclosed with the result that the $2,500 second mortgage note was cut out.

Counsel for the Gillam-Jackson Loan and Trust Co., during their arguments to the jury, admitted the evidence indicated that Hanna wrongfully took the papers from Mrs. Paxston's box when he collected the money but contended that the Gillam-Jackson Loan and Trust Co., had paid Hanna, innocently in the belief that he was authorized to receive the money.

An appeal will be taken by the defendants.

Barnard Case Up Today.

The case of the Barnard State Bank against J. M. and Edgar Henderson an attachment suit, was before the court today. Some time ago the bank attached the real and personal property of the Hendersons on the ground that they had fraudently conveyed and assigned some property to hinder and delay their creditors. The defendants contend the debt sued on was fraudently contracted and filed a separate plea in abatement, denying they were trying to convey their property to hinder and delay the creditors. The trial today is on the plea of abatement and the main suit on the note will be tried later.

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Wedding Features Today's Activities of Vets' Meeting

"What de Lawd has jined assundah, let no man separate togethah."

With these words from the officiating parson, Luinda Martha Matilda Jones and George Washington Andrew Jackson, both of St. Louis, were married this morning on the west steps of the courthouse amid a colorful martial setting.

Bernard Dougan, chief of police, secured the knot with a pair of handcuffs.

The wedding march started from the Linville Hotel shortly before 9 o'clock and the prospective bride and groom were accompanied by the Maryville chief of police. The St. Louis drum corps provided the music for the impressive occasion, which was witnessed by a large crowd.

After Mr. Dougan had handcuffed the pair, the key was lost in some mysterious manner and could not be found for about twenty minutes.

When the handcuffs were unlocked, the couple was granted a divorce and the wife was awarded 5 cents a month alimony.

Mrs. Minnie Stahl and Dr. William L. Sharp, both of St. Louis, were the principals and the ceremony was performed by Dr. A. C. Austin of Kansas City.

The ceremony was a part of the fun activities of the state convention of the United Spanish War Veterans and auxiliary members.

NEW VICTORY FOR RATE CUT

INSURANCE COMPANIES DENIED ANOTHER HEARING.

TO U. S. COURT NEXT

In Meantime, Seven Million Dollars In Excess Premiums Are Held By Missouri Concerns.

Jefferson City, June 23.—The state Supreme Court, en banc today, overruled the motion for a rehearing in the case of the 160 stock insurance companies against Ben C. Hyde, state superintendent of insurance, in the rate reduction ordered, cutting fire, hail, lightning and tornado rates in Missouri 10 per cent.

The reduction order was sustained by the decision of Judge White several weeks ago, upholding the right and authority of the state superintendent to make the change.

Chief Justice Blair and Judge Ragland, who dissented to the decision, dissented also today on the overruling of the motion to grant the companies a new hearing.

That means that the companies immediately will file an appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States.

There is seven million dollars of excess premiums collected by the companies since the reduction order was made in 1922, which will have to be refunded should their appeal to the United States Supreme Court result in an affirmament of the decision of the state court, sustained the reduction.

Drilling Is Resumed at Quitman Oil Well

Drilling was resumed this morning, according to a report from the test oil well of the Quitman Oil and Gas Co. The reaming of the hole to its entire depth of 1,190 feet was not completed because of cave-ins which necessitated the replacement of casing. If necessary to sink the eight-inch casing further, under-reaming will be resorted to.

Prediction that "something interesting" might be expected within three days after the resumption of drilling was made by Howard P. Manning, geologist.

Cattle of Raymond Jones Top Market

A load of heifers that attracted considerable attention at the St. Joseph stock yards Tuesday, according to the Stockyards Daily Journal, was a drove of twenty-nine high grade Herefords fed by Raymond Jones, who lives south of Maryville.

Mr. Jones' offering averaged 688 pounds and sold to Armour at $9.60, high point for the day and week on straight heifers.

Among the visitors at the St. Joseph market from this county yesterday were O. R. Saunders of Pickering and C. A. Barmann of Arkoe.

WOMAN FOUND IS EVANGELIST

IDENTIFIED AS AIMEE SEMPLE McPHERSON.

IS TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Famous Preacher Discovered In Exhausted Condition In Mexican Town.—Rapidly Recovering.

Douglass, Ariz., June 23.—A woman, identified here definitely as Aimee Semple McPherson, was brought to a Douglass hospital today from Agua Prieta, Mexico by John Anderson, a local taxi driver, who found her wandering about the Mexican town in an exhausted condition.

According to the story told to Douglass police, Mrs. McPherson escaped early yesterday morning from a band of gypsies who has held her prisoner since her disappearance at Ocean Park, May 18. Mrs. McPherson was turned over to Anderson by Mexican townspeople of Agua Prieta.

Anderson brought the famous woman evangelist to the Douglass police department today and she was immediately put in a local hospital. She was said to be extremely nervous and near exhaustion. It was thought, however, that she will be able to leave the hospital by tomorrow and return to Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, June 23.—Aimee Semple McPherson, the world's greatest living evangelist, has been found.

This was the positive statement today of the evangelist's mother, Mrs. Minnie Kennedy, who talked over the long distance telephone with the woman found in an exhausted condition at Agua Prieta, Mexico this morning.

After asking the woman twenty personal questions, Mrs. Kennedy announced, "It seems to be her, all right; thank God."

The conversation was carried on in the presence of Captain of Detectives Herman Cline of the Los Angeles police department.

Odd Fellows Hear Grand Instructor

Two Small Girls From Orphans Home At Liberty Also Guests at Meeting Last Night.

Friendly competition in the ritualistic work of the I. O. O. F. lodge was proposed last night by Harry Collins, grand instructor for the Missouri grand lodge, who was a guest last night at a meeting of the local lodge, attended also by visitors from nearly all the other lodges of the county. About 100 Odd Fellows were present.

The grand instructor proposed an "efficiency test" and awarding of points to those able to give the ritualistic and unwritten work letter perfect, the points to be given in accordance with the length of the charge. The two members scoring highest in each lodge are to be given a three-day trip to the Odd Fellows Home at Liberty, Mo., with all expenses paid.

Mr. Collins was accompanied by his wife and by two 11-year-old girls from the Liberty home, whom they are giving a vacation. The two little girls, Evelyn Dearlane and Ruth Booker, were guests at last night's meeting and they gave two songs and also gave the prayers and songs which they give each day at the table and before going to bed. The lodge was much impressed with the work the home is doing, supported by an assessment of ¾ cents a week for each member of the lodge, and a collection amounting to $8.45 was taken and presented to the girls for them to spend while on their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Collins and the two little girls are motoring to their various engagements and are enjoying the open air. Last night they camped in the tourist park here.

The meeting last night was followed by a supper. Music was furnished by the I. O. O. F. orchestra.

V. E. Bird Accepts Bank Position Here

Viron E. Bird, assistant cashier of the Farmers Bank of Parnell for the past eight years, has accepted a position as assistant cashier at the First National Bank here and will begin his duties July 1.

Mrs. Alderman Here.

Mrs. Nelson G. Alderman of Cleveland, Ohio, arrived in Maryville yesterday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Herndon.

Orders Klansmen to Wear Lighted Numerals

Emporia, Kan., Officials, In Effort To Stop Parade Tonight, Pass Special Ordinance Of Regulation.

Emporia, Kan., June 23.—Numerals, about the size of those worn by race horses, and painted with phosphorus, will adorn the front of every Klansman who parades here tonight as a result of an ordinance passed late this afternoon by city commissioners.

The numerals will also correspond to the registered numbers which must be given to every parading member of the society by the police. Members of the Klan have threatened to parade in defiance of the ordinance and have instituted a legal attack on the order.

AN ISSUE ON TAX REDUCTION

DEMOCRATS START DRIVE FOR FURTHER CUT.

BIG SURPLUS IN SIGHT

New York Representative to Ask Framing of New Bill to Be Introduced at December Session.

Washington, June 23.—The Democrats lost no time today in starting a drive for the further reduction of federal taxes.

After a twenty-four hour study of treasury conditions as revealed by President Coolidge in his speech Monday night, Representative Jacobstein, Democrat of New York, announced he would introduce a resolution directing the ways and means committee to meet prior to the convening of Congress in December in order to have a new tax reduction bill ready for submission by the time Congress meets.

The treasury closes its books for the fiscal year one week from today with a surplus of nearly 400 million dollars, an estimated surplus of nearly 200 million dollars for next year, and an anticipated surplus for the following year which is largely guess work but which the experts believe will run from 20 to 100 million dollars, depending upon business conditions.

By thus inaugurating a movement for further tax reduction while the President's speech is still warm, the Democrats beat the Republicans to the political punch.

President Coolidge would forecast no further tax reductions. On the contrary, he held out very little hope for aid during the next few years.

K. C. College's Charter Is Revoked by Court

Medical School Is Alleged To Have Sold From Fifty To Sixty Diplomas To Unqualified Persons.

Jefferson City, June 23.—The Supreme Court en banc today revoked the charter of the Kansas City College of Medicine and Surgery as a part of the medical diploma mill exposed a couple of years ago. In ordering the forfeiture of the school's charter, the court held that the college had abused its power by selling diplomas and violated the law because it was operated solely for pecuniary profit. It held that the school had sold from fifty to sixty diplomas to persons who were not graduated from any medical school.

A similar suit is pending against the St. Louis College of Physicians and Surgeons.

Kansas City, June 23.—Dr. D. R. Alexander, who lost the Kansas City College of Medicine and Surgery through a decision of the state supreme court en banc revoking the charter of the school for the unlawful sale of diplomas, has nothing to say and refers all inquiries to his attorney, J. R. Page.

Page could not be reached at his office this afternoon and no statement is forthcoming from the officers of the college as to what action they contemplate.

Arkoe W. C. T. U.

The June meeting of the Arkoe W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. Walter Coulter last week, when an interesting program on anti-narcotics was given. Mrs. Coulter was the leader of the program, which also included a vocal duet by Virginia Coulter and Marie Swinford. About ten members attended the meeting. The July meeting will be with Mrs. Lewis Lambert. Mrs. Coulter, assisted by Mrs. Arden Swinford, served refreshments.

CAILLAUX TO BRIAND'S AID

ACCEPTS POST AS MINISTER OF FINANCE.

BLOW TO DEBT PACT

Agreement With U. S. Will Probably Have To Be Altered—May Insist On Safety Clause.

Paris, June 23.—M. Joseph Caillaux has agreed to accept the ministry of finance in the cabinet which Aristide Briand is forming.

Caillaux, after months of waiting, has thus again found vindication, as he was ejected from the finance ministry last winter because of objections to his policies with regard to financial rehabilitation. He predicted that France would again have to turn to him to handle its finances.

M. Briand, in announcing the acceptance of M. Caillaux, stated that his cabinet would be completed this afternoon.

The inclusion of Caillaux in the Briand cabinet will mean a demand for certain modifications of the Mellon-Berenger agreement, not changing the essential character of the accord, it was officially admitted to the International News Service this afternoon following a luncheon conference between Caillaux and Briand.

The appointment of Caillaux as minister of finance came after he had made arrangements to convoke an assembly of all parties of the Senate and the Chamber if Briand failed to form a cabinet by noon today.

This action was regarded as ominous in many circles and the statement made by Poincare indicated that it was feared that Caillaux's action might be tantamount to an attempt at a coup d' etat.

Caillaux's acceptance of the finance ministry may be followed by a drastic change in the French policies with regard to the settlement of the American debt. Caillaux is known to be insistent that a safety clause be inserted in the settlement although M. Briand has opposed such a demand. It now seems probable that Caillaux's wishes will prevail and an effort will be made to amend the Berenger settlement which may wreck that accord.

President Doumergue is known to have been opposed to the appointment of Caillaux and to have urged that the cabinet be formed around a Poincare-Doumergue combination.

Briand cleverly sidetracked this demand when he went to the president this morning and announced he would not continue his efforts.

Confesses to Stealing From K.C. Merc. Co.

Theft So Systematically Carried Out That H. D. Lee Company Officials Make Exhaustive Check.

Kansas City, June 23.—The stealing of various garments from his employers so systematically that the loss of $1,800 worth of merchandise was not discovered by the H. D. Lee Mercantile Co., of this city, was admitted by Harry O. Hamilton, shipping clerk for the firm, here today in a confession which implicated Jacob Rubin of the Star Mercantile Co., here and the Blue Front Store at Springfield, Mo.

The merchandise was missed only after an exhaustive check of the stock and records had been made. Hamilton did not tell of the methods used.

Baseball Scores

National League.

Pittsburgh-St. Louis, no score.
Chicago 1, Cincinnati 0, end of 5th.
Philadelphia-New York, rain.
Brooklyn 3-7-0, Boston 1-5-0.
Brooklyn 3, Boston 4, end 5th.

American League.

Cleveland 1, Chicago 2, end 5th.
Wahsington-Philadelphia, rain.

American Association.

Louisville, 0; Kansas City, 0; 3rd.
Indianapolis, 0; Milwaukee, 0; 3rd.
Columbus, 0; St. Paul, 0; 3rd.
Toledo, 0; Minneapolis, 0; 3rd.

Mrs. C. Weber of Wapello, Ia., came last night for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Miller, and family.

Weather

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; slightly warmer tonight.

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FELLOWSHIP AND EFFICIENCY

An 84-year-old travelling salesman, still on the job, whose experience covers 56 years, tells of a big change in his calling.

"The old-time welcome at hotel and home," he says, "the porter who gave you the glad hand at every railway station, the free display room for salesmen, all have passed. Efficiency drives them out. As traveling gets easier, a certain fellowship—the result, perhaps, of common suffering—wanes."

Having dropped a sentimental tear upon the grave of this lost fellowship he adds:

"And what service we used to get! I bet I've spent 30 years waiting for late trains. In those early days there wasn't such a thing as a fast train. Most of them were wood burners, stopping at every third woodpile for fuel. They stopped twice at every double house.

"In those days travel was real work. Many of the smaller towns were accessible only by stage coach or sleigh."

Fellowship or efficiency? Take your choice. Most people nowadays prefer the efficiency. That is why they have the service they have. Yet it is hard to lose the fellowship of older, cruder, slower days. Isn't there really room for both? Must business lose the comradeship that formerly went with it? Can there not be comradeship along with speed and promptness?

TOO MUCH POLITICS.

The Attorney General of Missouri, who the people have come to think is a real attorney general and a lawyer of high class and great ability, has, at the insistence of many of the best people of St. Louis and the whole state, investigated the Rutherford affair and out of that investigation has grown the setting aside of the verdict freeing Rutherford, new indictments, and the indictment of the circuit attorney and others alleged to be in a conspiracy to defeat justice.

The Governor of Arkansas has been asked for the extradition of Rutherford in order that he might be fairly tried. The Governor of Arkansas is a candidate for renomination and has strong opposition. The Rutherford family is a wealthy and influential family of Arkansas. The Governor of Arkansas doesn't want to incur the displeasure of the Rutherfords and their friends and he doesn't want to allow his opposition to charge that he is protecting men charged with felony, so he hit upon the happy idea that he would not consider the matter until Governor Baker should reconsider a decision not to extradite some Missourian for trial in Arkansas. In that way he protects the Rutherfords and prevents their trial and perhaps the trial of several accused lawyers in St. Louis without actually rendering a decision.

Governor Terrill says that "extradition is founded upon comity and reciprocity between states." It ought to be founded upon justice and a desire to uphold the law. We don't assume to know anything about the cases wherein Governor Baker refused to return men to Arkansas for trial, but if they committed felonies under the laws of Arkansas, they should be returned like any others. If they did not, they should be refused. But basing the extradition of alleged criminals wholly on the practice of reciprocity, is indefensible and subsersive of justice. The governors of great states ought to be big enough to decide such questions upon their merits without reference to the matter of barter and trade. They ought to be big enough to permit men to be brought to the bar of justice regardless of influence and the number of votes that might be affected.

When men in Arkansas, Missouri, or any other state allows personal and trivial considerations to outweigh the desires for justice and right, they contribute that much to lawlessness and to that extent interfere with the operation of the courts. If governors generally come to consider extradition purely a matter of reciprocity and exchange, it may be safely said that one of the great needs of the country is a uniform policy and agreement among the states upon that subject that can be followed by all governors of the various states under all circumstances.

TACNA-ARICA FUTILITY.

The Peruvian government, one learns in a recent cable from Lima "has rejected the latest formula presented by Chile for a settlement of the Tacna-Arica territorial dispute."

Oh, well, we suppose we can bear it. The only reason most of us have enough interest in the matter to read such a news item is that the United States unfortunately got snarled up in that mess, and tried to help Peru and Chile straighten it out. Now that it has proved too much for Uncle Sam, we don't care much what happens, as long as our distant Latin friends don't start anything around here.

Yet, if they insist on sending us reports of continued disagreement, they ought to be willing to accept an occasional suggestion in return. The failure this last time was over a proposal to divide the disputed territory between Peru and Chile, instead of either getting it all. Peru kicked, of course, because she was getting a smaller piece than Chile. But none of that land is worth the fuss they're making about it. Neither of them needs that strip of sea coast. Bolivia, behind in the mountains does need a sea front. Why don't they let her have it, and get back to their regular jobs?

COLLEGE DEVELOPMENT.

A news dispatch from New Haven, Conn., the other day carried the glad tidings that when Yale men study least their grades are highest. That was the headline summary of the facts. Further conclusions may be drawn from the statistics published in the story.

Freshmen study an average of 23.3 hours a week and get an average grade of 75.3; sophomores average 20.8 hours of study and a 76.4 grade; the junior average is 19.5 hours of study and a grade of 78.3; seniors average 18.3 hours of study and an 80.5 grade.

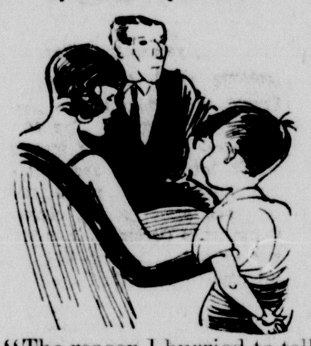
This suggests several things. Apparently poor students and lazy ones are weeded out early in the course. Apparently, too, the students that remain learn how to study more effectively and develop a better grasp of the subject matter in hand. Perhaps the courses offered to upper classmen are of greater interest and inspire keener enthusiasm than those for freshmen.

If the statistics do mean these things, it is an excellent sign. Undoubtedly many other schools would show a similar tendency. It ought to indicate that college years are years of intellectual growth, as they should be, rather than years wholly devoted to merry-making and idling as some of the harsher critics maintain.

LOTS A PEP.

Willie Willis

By ROBERT QUILLEN



"The reason I hurried to tell my sister Betty about it bein' me that busted her comb a-combin' my dog was because she has to talk sweet when her beau is here."

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What Other Editors Say

MISSOURI'S EXTRAVAGANCE

Missouri's fiscal system is wasteful, highly extravagant. It did not need the arraignment of Thomas H. Rogers, research director of the Missouri Association for Economy in Public Expenditures, to know that fact, although Mr. Rogers and his association have done a public service in calling specific attention to figures that are not known—even by the men who are supposed to administer to the state's finances the St. Louis Star comments.

The state's government costs are shown to have increased 523 per cent in the past twenty years by the report, which makes a straightforward demand for coordination of state departments and supervision of expenditures through a budget system. That is an increase calculated to startle even the most supine official and indifferent taxpayer out of his lethargy, and make both classes look closely into the rapidly advancing cost of government and to realize the imperative need to do something about the economical expenditure of revenues for the good of the whole people.

"Occasionally public officials in Missouri would have suggested amendment of the laws that would look to greater economy, but nothing has been accomplished because there was no public support of recommendations made by different governors," says the report. That is most likely to be the trouble in the present instance. The public will be startled by the facts and figures so painstakingly collected and admirably presented by Mr. Rogers' association, and almost immediately drop back into its former state of lethargy, of "let George do it." There will have to be something more than reports that call occasional attention of the voters to a condition that shrieks for remedy. There will have to be organized efforts to change the views, the ability, of the average legislator sent to Jefferson City—to change him from a local to a statewide point of view with regard to appropriations and expenditures.

Rigid economy in the expenditures of the state's money will not be possible until all boards and all departments are re-grouped and co-ordinated in a scientific manner, as the report sets forth. But this regrouping and this co-ordination will not come about until the state's taxpayers force the issue through the election of proper legislators. Until the people are sufficiently aroused to the waste and inefficiency that now attends their public business, the present shiftless methods will prevail along with gold-digging for special purposes.—Sedalia Democrat.

Stewart's WASHINGTON LETTER

By Charles P. Stewart
NEA Service Writer.

Washington.—It's a commonplace that there's no longer an "opposition party" in Congress.

That is, none to speak of. There are a few "mavericks," as Representative Berger calls them. Besides the "mavericks," there are a few more whose brands are blurred.

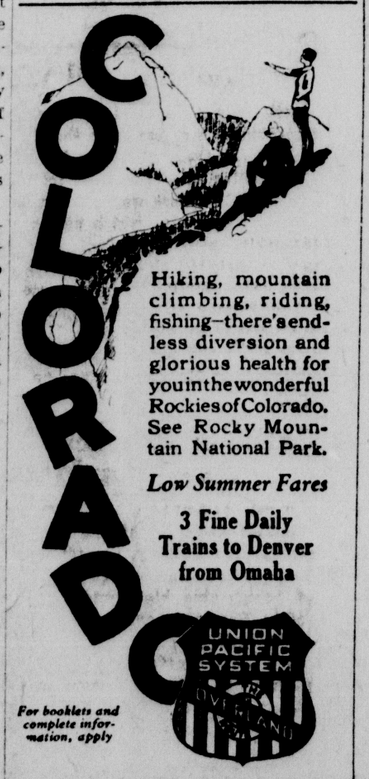
These "mavericks" are a genuine "opposition," sometimes supported, and sometimes not, by the doubtful herd. But they're not a party. They're a coalition, and too few, even as a coalition, to signify much. Still, so far as there's any "opposition" at all that's what they are.

They oppose the Republican-Democratic combination. Republicans and Democrats pretend to fight like everything over issues of no importance. When a really vital issue comes up they decide it's non-partisan and vote the same way.

The genuine "mavericks," as I see 'em, are:

Senators Frazier and Norris, elected as Republicans; Senator La Follette, who calls himself "a Republican (Progressive)"; Senator Nye, who was appointed as a Republican but makes his next run as an independent; Representative Berger, Socialist; Representative La Guardia, who was elected as a Socialist but who always classed as a Republican before; Senator Wheeler and Representatives Huddleston and Rainey, elected as Democrats; Senator Shipstead and Representatives Carss and Wefald, armer-Laborites.

Senator Reed of Missouri also almost qualifies.



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Lt. Commander Byrd Reports for Decoration

Arctic Flyer To Receive Award of Distinction For His Recent Flight Over North Pole.

Washington, June 23. (United Press)—Lieut. Commander Richard E. Byrd today reported to his superiors and prepared to receive at their hands an award for his achievement as the first aviator to fly over the North Pole.

President Coolidge and Secretary of the Navy Wilbur were to present Byrd with the Hubbard Gold Medal. Floyd Bennett, who accompanied Byrd on the flight, will likewise receive a gold medal. The presentations were arranged by the National Geographic Society.

It was the improved type of sun compass presented to Byrd by Dr. Gilbert Grosvenor, President of the National Geographic Society, which guided the daring pilot on his successful flight to the Pole and back from Spitzbergen. It likewise enabled him to determine his exact location at the pole.

The Hubbard Gold Medal has been awarded to four other men, and only two other Americans. Commander Robert E. Peary received it in 1906 following his discovery of the Pole and General Goethals was given the award in 1914 by President Wilson. The last medal was awarded in 1919 to Wilhjalmur Stefansson, while Sir Ernest Shackleton was honored by its presentation in 1910.

Commander Byrd will tell of his exploit at a gathering tonight which will include the President and members of his cabinet, members of the diplomatic corps, prominent scientists, government officials and fellow officers.

Teeth are nice things. If you had no teeth what would you grit when your wife makes you mad?

BARBS

Thirteen governors met at the Sesqui-Centennial, including the one from North Carolina and the one from South Carolina.

The Crown Prince of Sweden bane got a Yale degree now. This bane Yale College, not an ordinary yail.

A sculptor finds Amundsen's nose is three inches long. The explorer, however, has followed it much longer.

Efforts of 10 doctors failed to save a rich New Yorker. He was awfully sick. Even one couldn't have saved him.

Winter is better than summer. In winter you don't have to go to bed without having enough strawberry shortcake.

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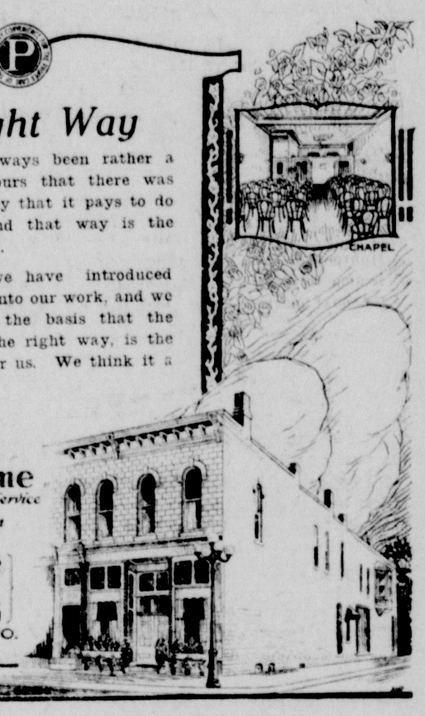

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Comer-Round.

Verna H. Comer of St. Joseph and Jesse Round of Arkoe were married in Savannah Monday, June 21. For the present the couple will be at home with Mr. Round's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Round, one and a half miles southwest of Arkoe.

Important Meeting Tomorrow

Important business will come before a meeting of the women of the Presbyterian Church, to be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Roy Curfman on South Main street. The June meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society will be held at the same time. Every woman affiliated with the church is urged to be present.

Delphian Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Mary Graham Chapter, Delphian Society, was held last night in the Farm Bureau office. "Modern French Drama" was the subject discussed. The folowing texts were given: Rostand's "Symbolism," Mrs. H. R. Juvenal; and "Cyrano de Bergerac," Mrs. Sherman Montgomery. A program on "Modern Drama in Germany" will be given at the next meeting to be held July 13.

Celebrates 12th Anniversary.

The Superior Cleaning Company celebrated its twelfth anniversary with a special meeting of its eight employes last night at the store. The fore part of the evening was spent in discussing ways of bettering the system of work. The remainder of the evening was spent socially and refreshments were served. Those present were C. E. Neff, L. E. White, Robert Broyles, Pearl McLaughlin, J. C. White, Frank Janetos, Mrs. L. E. White and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bithos.

L. I. Club.

Mrs. Frank Ulmer was hostess at last week's meeting of the L. I. Club, when a Flag Day program was given. Musical numbers were presented by Miss Zola Burke and Mary and Flora Bell Ulmer and Helen Ulmer gave an original poem. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Misses Ermina and Hazel Scott and Helen Ulmer. Members and visitors present were Mrs. Carl Burke, Mrs. Leon Cain, Mrs. U. A. Anderson, Mrs. Tom Carmichael, Mrs. D. E. Florea and children, Mrs. Charles Taylor, Mrs. Rufus Ringgold, Mrs. Morris, Mrs. Charles Massie, Mrs. William Ingels, Mrs. Henry Upschulte, Misses Ethel Morris, Helen Ulmer, Valta Ringgold, Hazel Scott, Mildred Anderson, Ermina Scott, Zola and Mary Burke, Mary and Flora Bell Ulmer and Helen Joy Cain. The next meeting will be July 1 with Mrs. Tillie Hornbuckle.

To Celebrate Anniversary

The thirtieth anniversary of the founding of the organization of Pansy Camp, No. 333, Royal Neighbors of America, will be celebrated at an open meeting to be held at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon at I. O. O. F. Hall. The following program has been arranged:

Piano solo, Miss Jean Murdock.
Harmonica solo, Mrs. J. B. Trullinger.
Clarinet solo, Gerald Stults.
Reading, Mrs. Milton Butler.
Vocal solo, Mrs. I. E. Tulloch.
Piano solo, Mrs. D. A. Appleby.
Whistling solo, Tom Clark.
Violin solo, Miss Laura Belt.
Reading, Miss Doris Wallace.
Piano duet, Misses Virginia Lucas and Reba Butler.
Vocal solo, Miss Emma Ryan.
Xylophone solo, Carl Leroy Fisher.
Piano solo, Miss Gertrude Belt.
Reading, Mrs. Henry Thorp.
Vocal solo, Mrs. Fern Crull.
Piano solo, Miss Amelia Mae Green.
Saxaphone solo, Harry Trullinger.
Violin solo, Wendell Donahue.
Piano duet, Miss Jean Murdock and Mrs. Fern Crull.

Refreshments will be served after the program. A silver offering will be taken.

Bailey-Jones Wedding.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bailey of Quitman was the scene of a pretty wedding at noon today, when their daughter, Mary, became the bride of Charles E. Jones of Burlington Junction. The single ring service was performed by the Rev. John H. Fanning, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Quitman. The bride was attired in ashes of roses georgette and carried a shower bouquet of Columbia roses. Following the ceremony a two-course luncheon was served. Garden flowers were used in the house decorations. After a short wedding trip Mr. Jones and his bride will be at home in Burlington Junction, where the former is a successful young business man. The bride was graduated from the State Teachers College in the class of 1924 and the previous year was honored by election as queen of the Tower, the annual publication of the College. She was a graduate student at the University of Chicago and the University of California at Berkeley. For the last two years she has been teaching in the Quitman High School. Mr. Jones is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones, Burlington Jct. The out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Jones and daughter, Alberta, Mr. and Mrs. Ramey Hann, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Arch Jones and Jesse Jones of Burlington Junction; Mrs. A. A. Watts, and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bailey and children, Allison, Roger and Ruth Ann, of St. Joseph; Mrs. M. E. Woodford of Tarkio; and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Johnson and son, Joseph, of Quitman.

Dance at Country Club.

The bi-monthly dance will be held at the Country Club at 8:30 o'clock tomorrow night. The affair is for club members and their out-of-town guests. Bovard's orchertra will play.

Entertain at Dinner.

Mrs. J. H. Eckles and her daughter, Miss Ora Eckles, entertained with a dinner today when their guests included Mrs. Wilbur Strickler of Golden, Ill., Mrs. Cora Wright of Los Angeles, Cal., and Luther Eckles. Mrs. Strickler is visiting her brother-in-law, Mr. Eckles, and relatives at Barnard.

For Convention Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry D. Snyder were hosts at a dinner at the Country Club last evening, entertaining in compliment to several of the U. S. W. V. convention visitors. Covers were laid for J. W. Castanie, department commander, and Mrs. Castanie of St. Louis, H. A. Finke, past department commander, and Mrs. Finke of St. Louis, Mrs. Katherine Abrahams of St. Louis, retiring department president of the auxiliary to U. S. W. V., Dr. and Mrs. C. P. Fryer and daughter, Mildred, Miss Lucile Snyder and the hosts. A number of dinner parties were given at the club last evening for other visitors.

Convention Affairs.

The delegates to the convention of the U. S. W. V. Auxiliary were extended a luncheon courtesy at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, when the members of the local auxiliary entertained in their honor at the Country Club. Covers were laid for about eighty members. Miniature silk flags were given as favors. Following the luncheon a program was presented by the Courtney Sisters of Kansas City. The program consisted of readings and songs with Mrs. Ralph Eversole as accompanist.

The military ball at the club last night was the concluding social affair for the convention visitors. The grand march was led by J. W. Castanie of St. Louis, department commander, and Mrs. Katherine Abrahams of St. Louis, retiring department president of the auxiliary to U. S. W. V. The Yehle orchestra played. Flags were used in decorating the club house.

Dr. Heryford to Rochester.

Dr. W. B. Heryford will leave this evening for Rochester, Minn., for an examination at the Mayo clinic.

Combined Production of First Four Years of Auto Industry Less Than Number Here

The seventh annual edition of "Facts and Figures of the Automobile Industry," recently issued by the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, contains some very interesting information.

In 1895 only four cars were made. The next year more than six times as many were reported, or twenty-five. One hundred cars were made in '97 and ten times that number in '98. The combined production of the first four years of the infant industry was less than the number of cars now owned in Maryville, and with 2,500 cars produced in '99, it would require half of the 5,000 produced in 1900 to make the total number of cars in the country equal the present registration of more than 6,000 cars in Nodaway County.

During the first eight years of this century, production per year increased from 5,000 to 63,500, with truck production in 1904 starting out with 411 in its first year.

In 1918, production dropped to about half of that of 1917, with the high mark of that year not passed until '20, and with the production for '21 only slightly larger than that of '16. Since '22 there has been a steady and rapid increase in the number of cars made, the figures for last year (including Canadian Production) 3,839,302 passenger cars and 497,452 trucks. There were registered last year, 17,512,638 passenger cars, and 2,441,709 trucks. Last year's production showed a gain of 12 per cent over '24 in passenger cars and 14 per cent in trucks.

In '19 closed cars represented only 10 per cent of the total, and last year 56 per cent.

The automobile industry is first in size, being the largest of the country's manufactures. More than three billion dollars is invested in this giant industry, which exceeds by nine million dollars the investment in the steel industry, the next largest. Other industries in their rank of importance are packing industry, foundry and machine shop products, cotton goods, petroleum refining, lumber and timber products, electrical machinery, printing and publishing and bread and other bakery products. In all of these industries more than one billion dollars is invested.

Last year automobile freight exceeded 3,000,000 carloads or 60,000 trains of fifty cars each. More than half of this tonnage was for motor vehicles and parts and gasoline. The remainder was for tire, lubricating oil, iron and steel, coal, crude oil, lumber, crude rubber, asphalt for roads, cement, gravel, sand, paints, upholstery materials, other metals, and plate glass. Motor vehicles and parts formed the third largest railroad shipments of manufactured articles in '25, being exceeded only by gasoline and steel.

Three million, two hundred and four thousand, four hundred and twenty-two people are directly employed in the automobile industry. In the United States motor and truck factories in '25 361,442 employees were pair $649,668,829.00 or an average yearly wage of $1,800.

The amount of insurance carried on motor vehicles in '25 was $258,136,775.

Time payment losses on cars amount to less than one-fifth of one per cent. On new cars the standard terms are one-third down and the balance in twelve equal monthly payments.

The United States produced 10,886,127,000 gallons of gasoline in '25 and consumed 9,362,094,000 gallons.

"Farm owned" cars now total 4,332,482, an increase of twelve per cent in rural registration during '25. In Missouri 183,688 cars are owned by farmers, of which 165,132 are pleasure vehicles and 18,556 trucks. Missouri ranks ninth in the number of farm cars, being exceeded by Texas, Iowa, Illinois, Ohio, Pennsylvania, New York, Wisconsin, and Indiana, in order named.

Figures from the Chilton Class Journal Co., show that motor repair bills are decreasing. The average of $281 per car in '19 was reduced to $217 in '25, a reduction of 22½ per cent in seven years.

Studying the operating costs of 11 typical cars ranging from $400 to $1800 the Iowa State College (Bulletin No. 69), reported that the average of all costs of operation of the average car is ten cents per mile. The range was from 7.05 cents per mile for a light four touring car to 13.15 cents per mile for a big four touring car. The items listed as operating costs were: gasoline, oil, tires, maintenance, depreciation, interest, insurance, garage and license.

There are 48,555 motor vehicle dealers in the United States of which 1,395 are in Missouri. In Canada there are only 1929 dealers.

In '25 $667,000,000 was paid as motor vehicle taxes.

There are 5,362 motor camps in the United States, according to figures prepared by "Motor Camper and Tourist." Of these sixty-six are in Missouri.

The average useful life of motor vehicles is gradually increasing and is now eight years.

Twice as many cars were scrapped in '25 as were in '24, which shows a decided increase in the annual replacement market.

Last year there were 70,000 motor busses in the United States, operated on 232,000 miles of common carrier lines. Two hundred and fifty electric lines now use 5,100 busses on 5,132 miles of route and 6,455 common carrier operators have 28,145 busses in service regularly. In Missouri 192 companies operate 794 busses over 11,899 miles of route. Twenty-six thousand and seven hundred and fifty-one busses are used by consolidated rural schools to transport 691,000 children daily. There are 1,981 sightseeing busses and hotels use 539. In Missouri 232 consolidated rural schools transport 2,000 children daily in thirty-one busses. There are in the state twenty-three hotel busses and three sightseeing busses.

Figures supplied by the United States Bureau of Public Roads show that in eight states investigated, thirty-one per cent of the bus routes were non-competitive with railroads. Fifty-one railroads in the United States and Canada are now using motor trucks to supplement their shipping service.

In Missouri there are 1802 motor truck fleets of three or more trucks, 614 of five or more and 164 of ten or more. The largest truck fleet in the United States is that owned and operated by the American Railway Express Company, (including all branches), which has 5,753 trucks. The Post Office Department is next with 5,300 and the Standard Oil Co., third with 3,500.

Of the 4,800,321 passenger cars and trucks produced in the World in '25, 87.5 per cent or 4,175,365, were produced by the United States.

The following comparison of prices in 1913 and today, as far as the automobile is concerned, is interesting: In 1913 the farmer paid 1482 bushels of wheat for the car that can be bought today for 562 bushels of wheat. Corn 2,321 bushels then and 1254 bushels now. Cotton 19.3 bales as compared with 10.1 bales. Hogs, 17,074 pounds and 7,950 pounds now. Cattle 21,406 pounds then and 13,830 pounds now, wool, 6,214 pounds then and only 2,241 pounds now. In other words it now costs the farmer from one-third to two-thirds less to pay for his automobile now than it did thirteen years ago. The exchange value of wheat, hogs, wool, cotton, corn and cattle for automobiles is from one and one-half to two and three-fourths times greater today than in 1913.

Using 1914 as a basis the automobile dollar is today worth $1.16 whereas the cost-of-living dollar is worth but 59 cents.

There are 24,654,574 motor vehicles in the world of which all but 19 per cent are owned in the United States Automotive exports now rank third, being surpassed by only raw cotton and mineral oils.

Of the 179,770 miles of authorized Federal Highway, 47,176 miles or 26 per cent was completed up to January 1, 1926. Missouri, with a total certified mileage of all roads amounting to 111,510, is entitled to 7,806 miles of federal aid road. Of this 7,530 miles has been approved or 96 per cent of the total and 1,292.3 completed (17 percent) with 746 miles under and approved for construction.

Last year Missouri had a total registration of 604,166 motor vehicles an increase of 307,158 or 104 per cent since 1920. Of the 1925 Missouri registration 543,426 are passenger cars and 60,740 were trucks.

State motor vehicle license receipts, including gasoline taxes, total, $406,648,561.00. Missouri has gross receipts of $7,267,098.00. The cost of collection and administration is $432,023.00, with $6,835,075 going for state highways.

In 1925 there were 19,954,347 motor vehicles registered in the United States, a gain of 13 per cent over 1924. 17,512,000 motor cars and 2,441,000 commercial vehicles.

In 1904 only 7.14 per cent of the total mileage of road in the United States was surfaced with the amount of surfacing estimated last year at 16.5 per cent, an increase of more than 100 per cent.

Seventy per cent of homes have automobiles which is two per cent more than those having telephones. In towns having a population of less than 10,000 the percentage is 60 per cent; in towns from 10 to 25,000 it is 70, and in cities over 25,000 79 per cent of the families own automobiles.

There are 98,496 concerns in the Vehicle-for-Hire Business. 3,531 of these are in Missouri.

New York leads the United States in the number of cars registered with 1,625,583 cars, but California leads with the number of persons per car as 3.2. Missouri is eleventh with a total registration of 604,166, but 25th in number of persons per car, 6.37.

Just So He Doesn't Ride His Horse Today

Prince Of Wales Celebrates His 32nd Birthday—Engaged In Round Of Official Entertainments.

London, June 23—The Prince of Wales reached the age of 32 today but paid scant attention to the event, being wholly absorbed in a round of official entertainments.

In the morning he received the customary bouquet of flowers from his staff at St. James' Palace and at noon he lunched with the King and Queen at Buckingham Palace—a custom scrupulously observed by the children of the Royal Family; tonight, accompanied by Prince Henry and the Princess Ingred of Sweden, he is expected to "look in" at a big dinner dance in Belgravia where he will probably get a big shower of confetti. In all other respects his birthday will pass like other days.

However, the Empire will celebrate with gusto. Flags were flown on all government buildings throughout the United Kingdom, the Dominions and the Colonies, and at noon sharp the royal salute of twenty-one guns boomed out at naval and military stations.

Grand Master

Brought up in the orphan's home conducted by the Odd Fellows at Meadville, Pa., John N. Mark has just been installed as grand master of the 190,000 members of the lodge in Pennsylvania. His home is in Oil City, Pa.

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10-quart Preserving Kettle, regular $1.25	98c
Safedge Table Glasses, set of 6, regular 65c	49c
Safedge Iced Tea Glasses, set of 6, regular $1.10	79c
Refrigerator Dishes, glass, set of 4, regular $1.00	69c
Mixing Bowls, glass, set of 4, regular 70c	49c
$1.50 Scythe Blade	$1.19
$1.50 Scythe Snathe	$1.19
Grass Hook, regular 60c	49c
2-quart Monarch Water Cooler for refrigerator	49c
Alarm Clock, regular $1.25	98c
Big Ben Alarm Clock, regular $3.25	$2.79
Machine Oil Cans	9c

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TONIGHT and TOMORROW—

Pola Negri in **"A WOMAN OF THE WORLD"** *A Paramount Picture*

This picture comes recommended as one of Pola Negri's very best pictures. Don't miss it. Also a two reel comedy, Carte De Haven in **"HOT SHEIKS."**

FRIDAY, June 25—One Day Only—

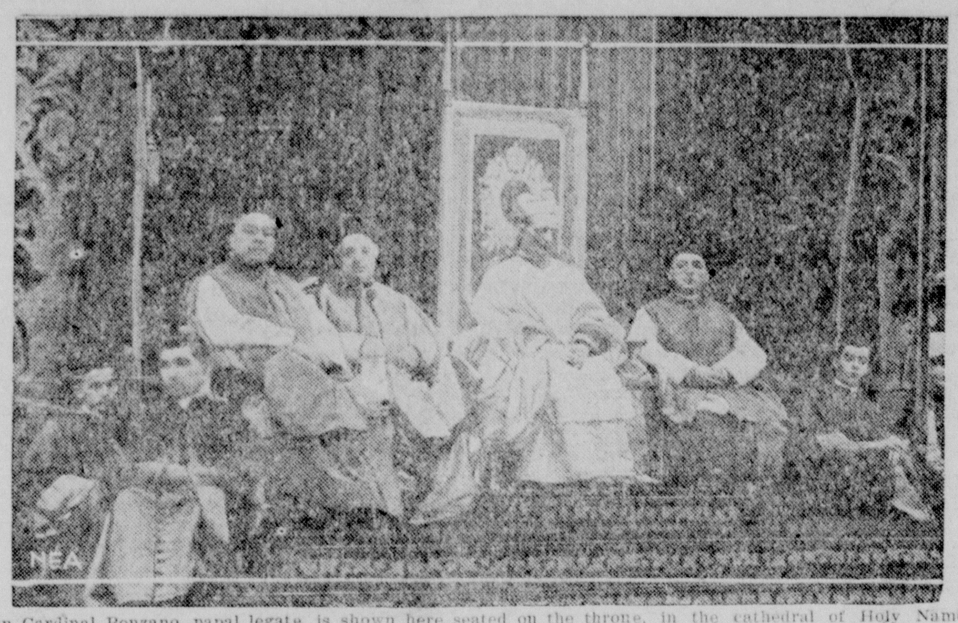
Yakima Canutt in "White Thunder"

A white avenger . . . , fast as the light . . . . tearing through the night . . . . . ripping his way along perilous trails. . . . On . . . on . . like a panther stalking its prey A thriller or thrillers if there ever was one See this pounding, throbbing tale of the golden West with all the vivid color of the plains in the time of Pawnee Bill, Bill Cody and heroic General Custer See it and cheer yourself hoarse!

Whisk! And Fido Is Gone

F. H. Wilson, motorcycle policeman of Pittsburgh, Calif., makes a specialty of catching stray dogs while riding his motorcycle. His net swoops down while he is traveling at a good clip and Fido goes dangling through the air for a few blocks. So now Wilson has been appointed pound master.

Scene at Formal Opening of Eucharistic Congress



John Cardinal Bonzano, papal legate, is shown here seated on the throne, in the cathedral of Holy Name, Chicago, at the opening of the International Eucharistic Congress.

Miss Mayme Dooley Hit by Automobile

Former Maryville Teacher Suffers Broken Leg in St. Joseph Accident. —Condition Not Critical.

Miss Mayme Dooley, well known here as a former teacher in the Maryville public schools, now a teacher in Sherwood school, St. Joseph, suffered a break of the right leg and numerous bruises and cuts when she was run down by a motor car at Tenth and Felix streets in St. Joseph yesterday morning, according to the St. Joseph News-Press.

Miss Dooley was sent to St. Joseph's Hospital, where it was said that her condition was not believed to be critical.

The car was driven by G. F. Sadler, 2601 South Fifteenth street, who was proceeding east on Felix street. Miss Dooley was walking south on Tenth street.

Sadler, in his report of the accident to the police, said Miss Dooley seemed to have become confused when she saw his car and stopped. He was unable to stop the car in time to avert striking her, he said.

Anti-Saloon League Poll for Meredith

Straw Vote is More Than 3 to 2 Against Judge Cockrell, Shields Announces.

St. Louis, June 23.—Virtual assurance that the Missouri Anti-Saloon League will throw its influence to the support of Willis H. Meredith of Poplar Bluff for the Democratic nomination for United States Senator appeared last night in a statement from the Rev. Parker Shields, superintendent of the league, in which he made public the result of a poll of more than 2000 dry voters.

The league sought to ascertain the relative strength among its supporters of Meredith and Judge Ewing Cockrell of Warrensburg, both drys. The Rev. Mr. Shields announced that the poll showed Meredith in the lead more than three to two.

Meredith had said he would withdraw if the poll revealed him the weaker. Cockrell had said he would not withdraw, asserting that Meredith had been an officer of the league and that the poll had been taken principally among members of the league.

To Attend Funeral of Cousin at St. Joseph

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Shoemaker will go to St. Joseph tomorrow morning to attend the funeral of the former's cousin, Mrs. Zada Beardsley Riley, to be held at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Mrs. Riley's death occurred at 2:30 o'clock yesterday morning at her home in St. Joseph. She was the widow of Don Riley, widely known St. Joseph liveryman and horse fancier, and had been in failing health for several years. Mr. Riley died Dec. 15, 1924. Surviving Mrs. Riley is a daughter, Mrs. Harry P. Bogle of Chicago.

J. J. Turner left this morning for Omaha where he was called by the illness of his brother.

Visitors From Texas.

Dr. and Mrs. J. R. Currie of Beaumont, Tex., arrived last Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Currie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Briggs, South Walnut street. They motored through in their car, coming by the way of Memphis, Tenn., Cairo, Ill., and St. Louis. They were accompanied by the Rev. Walter Rodgers of Beaumont, as far as St. Louis, who will come to Maryville soon, and Reid Tevis. Mrs. Currie will remain for a longer visit here while the other members of the party will return home the last of the week, returning via points in Kansas and Oklahoma.

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Effect of Eucharist on Education Studied

Leaders in Catholic Educational World Among Crowd That Gathers In Soldiers Field At Chicago.

Chicago, June 23.—The effect of the Holy Eucharist on education—mainly higher education—was the chief topic of discussion before the twenty-eighth International Eucharistic Congress today.

Leaders in the Catholic educational world were among the 100,000 persons who gathered within Soldiers Field and heard three speakers discuss education and its relation with the Holy Eucharist. The crowd today had not diminished any from the original throng which gathered for the opening of the sessions Sunday.

His Eminence Dennis Cardinal Dougherty of Philadelphia presided at the Higher Education Day of the congress. Among the speakers were:

The Most Rev. George Gauthier, Archbishop of Tarona, Montreal; Joseph Scott, a member of the order of Knights of St. Gregory, Los Angeles; His Eminence John Cardinal Czernoch, primate of Hungary.

Following the speakers, solemn pontifical high mass was spoken with the Rt. Rev. Edward F. Hoban, bishop auxiliary of Chicago, as celebrant. The sermon was by the most Rev. Austin Dowling, archbishop of St. Paul, Minn.

Today's program was the most representative North American program of the congress, only one speaker coming from other parts of the world.

Sectional meetings for all of the twenty-three groups were held at the various meeting places over the city this afternoon. Among the speakers for the English group were the St. Rev. Maurice Landrieux, bishop of Dijon, France; the Hon. G. Ellsworth Anstruthers, editor of "The Tablet" London and the Rev. Vincent di Lorenzo, Rome.

Mrs. R. E. Snodgrass Dies; Funeral Friday

Body of Former Resident to Be Brought Back To Hopkins From Weslaco, Texas.

Mrs. Roxana Snodgrass, wife of Robert E. Snodgrass, of Weslaco, Tex., died at 9:15 o'clock Tuesday morning at the home of her sister, Mrs. S. E. Wible, in St. Joseph. Mr. and Mrs. Snodgrass are former residents of Maryville and Hopkins. Mrs. Snodgrass leaves two sisters and two brothers. They are: Mrs. Josephine Markley, Hopkins; Mrs. Daisy Corken, Denver, Colo.; George Ewing, San Pedro, Cal.; and John Ewing, Omaha, Neb.

Funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock Friday morning at the home of Mrs. Markley in Hopkins and burial will be in the Hopkins cemetery.

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"I've seen lots o' female knees, but I ain't never yet seen one that was purty enough to be immodest."

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Local News

Mrs. H. L. Raines and Miss Edith Raines of Minneapolis, who is visiting here, went to Tarkio yesterday afternoon for ashort visit with the former's mother, Mrs. T. J. Emmert, and Miss Raines' brother, Earl Raines.

Fined $5 for Speeding.

George Beverlin was arrested last evening for speeding by Officer Leo Atherton. This afternoon Beverlin was fined $5 by Judge W. L. Johnson in police court.

To California for Vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Williams and two children left last night for California to spend a month's vacation. Mr. Williams is night operator at the Wabash station.

Bonnie Evelyn Bays.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bays of Burlington Junction announce the birth of a daughter at St. Francis Hospital, June 18. The baby has been named Bonnie Evelyn.

Marriage License Issued Yesterday.

A marriage license was issued late yesterday from the office of Mrs. Mamie Clardy, county recorder, to Charles E. Jones, Burlington Junction, and Mary Edith Bailey, Quitman.

Butler Urges Preparedness

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the auxiliary, today announced her appointive officers as follows:

Secretary, Mrs. Bertha Finke, St. Louis; treasurer, Mrs. Lillian Sibley, St. Louis; chief of staff, Mrs. Julia Weiss, St. Louis; reporter, Mrs. Louise Seibert, St. Louis; conductor, Mrs. Jeanie Castanie, St. Louis; assistant conductor, Mrs. Mary Madden, St. Louis; guard, Mrs. Hornsby, St. Louis; assistant guard, Mrs. Harry D. Snyder, Maryville; captain of drill team, Mrs. Carrie Helm, St. Louis.

Two of the auxiliary members attending the convention here are former national officers. Mrs. Clara Hendricks, new department commander, is a former chaplain-general, and Mrs. Louise Seibert, department secretary, is a former secretary-general. Both are from St. Louis.

Plan Harvest Home Fair for This Fall

The women of the M. E. Church, South, have planned a Harvest Home Fair for next Oct. 14 and 15. The location of the fair grounds will be published later. In the first exhibit one will find and may purchase winter bouquets, potted geraniums, parsley, bulbs, sage, etc. Mrs. R. M. Barry and Mrs. James Hiett will be chairmen of this department.

In mother's cupboard will be found preserves, pickles, cakes, jams, and canned foods. Mrs. W. T. Gray and Mrs. Earl Henderson will have charge of this feature. Mrs. R. A. Mitchell, Miss Effie Foster and Mrs. T. H. Leet will be chairman of the candy stall. At the marked-down booth where Mrs. N. G. Ellis and Mrs. Alva Maul will preside, children's as well as older people's garments, hats, shoes and cloaks will be sold. The Garden Gate, where there will be an exhibit of vegetables, will be in charge of Mrs. E. W. Heideman and Mrs. C. E. Williams. The booth where quilts, aprons, etc., will be displayed will be presided over by Mrs. M. E. Farrar and Mrs. N. F. Hopper. Mrs. J. H. Thorp will be chairman of the dinners.

Omaha Visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman D. Worst and daughter, Miss Virginia Worst, of Omaha came today to be the guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Glenn Reece, and Mr. Worst's mother, Mrs. Isabel Worst, for a week.

Bright colors have taken the place of gunpowder on July 4th. The eye is being startled instead of the ear. We have milder colors and pastel shades for men who want them but we have striking effects for those who would celebrate with bright colors. Shirts that truly proclaim their independence. And one thing about our shirts is true whether mild or startling: they are priced to please; especially is this true during our 14th Birthday Sale that is now in full swing.

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DESPITE THREATS, EXPECT EARLY ADJOURNMENT.

TO DEFEAT FILIBUSTER

House to Give Senate No Chance to Talk Farm Relief and Waterways Bills to Death.

Washington, June 23.—Congress will adjourn and go home between June 30 and July 11, despite the menacing attitude of the House in refusing to accept the June 30 adjournment date set by administration leaders, it was authoritatively learned today.

President Coolidge's lieutenants today were gloomily predicting that "we may be here all summer now" and were discussing possibility of taking up coal, alien property and other legislation postponed to the December session.

Nevertheless, House members are cancelling no steamship reservations and railway tickets as a result of reference of an adjournment resolution to the ways and means committee by a House majority composed of rivers and harbors bill, farm relief and coal legislation bloc members and others.

"We simply refused to give those fellows in the Senate the chance to filibuster the rivers and harbors bill to death," said one western congressman, suporting that bill.

The house will act quickly for immediate adjournment as soon as the farm relief and rivers and harbors bill are disposed of by the upper house, he said. The rivers and harbors bill, passed a month ago by the House, is expected to be reported out to the Senate soon, and a vote on the Haugen farm aid plan is expected this week.

The defeat of the adjournment plan, however, created a tense situation which conceivably could result in an all summer session if the Senate proves stubborn in filibustering or otherwise delaying action on these two measures.

Senate and House leaders were privately accused of trying to pigeonhole legislative projects "which the country is demanding."

The House coalition under the leadership of Representative Madden, Republican, Illinois, which blocked the adjournment move was composed of 90 Democrats, 98 Republicans and three scattering. The resolution had the suport of 46 Democrats and 87 Republicans.

The ways and means committee will not take up the resolution immediately.

Is Here in Interest of Placing More Children

J. W. Swan, Representative Of Children's Aid Society, Of New York, Visits In Maryville.

J. W. Swan, general superintendent for Missouri for the Children's Aid Society, of New York, is in Maryville today in the interest of sixteen children which he has placed in this county. Mr. Swan makes annual visits to Maryville for the society and has been most fortunate in placing children in homes here.

There have been several inquiries from persons desiring to take children in their homes. Mr. Swan is also investigating these inquiries. He said today that any persons interested in the matter may see W. A. Miller at the Bee Hive Shoe Store.

Time for War Risk Insurance Extended

Veterans Have Until July 2, 1927 To Reinstate And Converting Policies—Provisions Explained.

On June 2 the President signed a bill amending Section 301 of the World War Veterans' Act, providing for the extension of time limit for reinstating and converting war term insurance one year, or until July 2, 1927. There is also provision for the Director to extend the time beyond July 2, 1927 for conversion when such conversion is made "impracticable or impossible due to the mental condition or disappearance of the insured." Under such extension "there shall be allowed to the insured an additional period of two years from the date on which he recovers from his mental disability or reappears, in which to convert."

Another feature of the amendment is the provision "that when the amount of an individual monthly payment is less than $5 such amount may in the discretion of the Director be allowed to accumulate without interest and be disbursed annually." He is also authorized to issue, in addition to the forms of converted policies already provided for, a five year level premium term policy, and to permit the re-conversion of any converted policy to a higher or lower premium rate at any future time.

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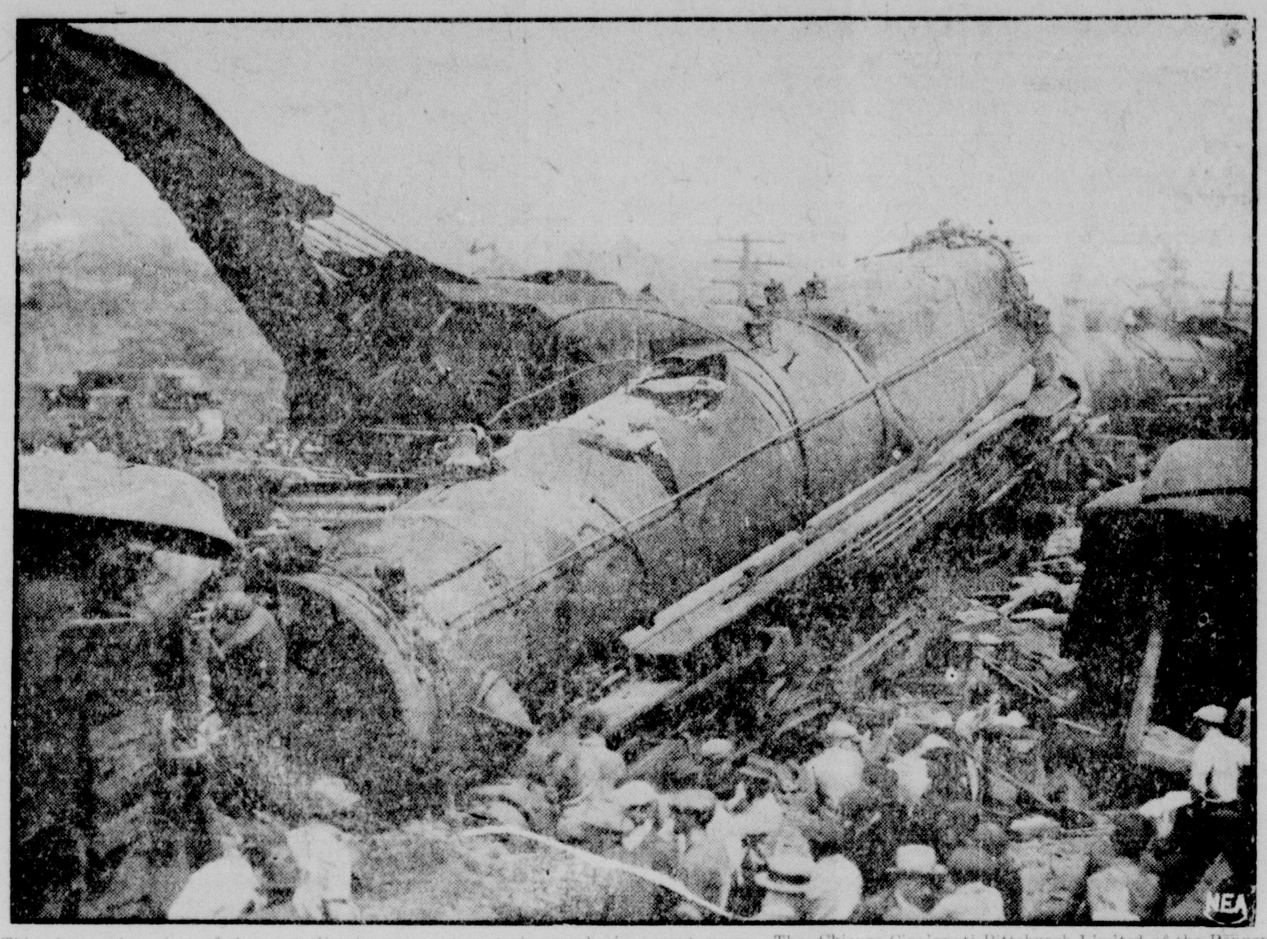


This picture shows one of the most disastrous passenger train wrecks in recent years. The Chicago-Cincinnati-Pittsburgh Limited of the Pennsylvania Railroad crashed into the Pittsburgh-Washington Express at Gray's Station, Pa., about 50 miles east of Pittsburgh. First reports placed the death toll at 18 and estimated the injured at 50. The Washington Express stopped to repair a coupling hose and the limited, following close behind, ploughed into it. Three sleeping cars of the express and the club car of the limited were telescoped. At the extreme right can be seen the demolished steel club car in which five passengers lost their lives. The picture also shows the two derailed locomotives of the limited and at the left can be seen part of the last Pullman of the express. Preliminary investigation indicates the engineer of the limited failed to notice signal flares of the express.

State Fair to Have Camp for 4-H Clubs

Campers Will Be Fed at Actual Cost and Cots Furnished Free, It Is Announced.

A statewide encampment of Missouri's outstanding 4-H Club members and leaders is announced as a feature of the Missouri State Fair at Sedalia, August 14 to 21. Each county in the state sponsoring 4-H club work may be represented in this camp, according to T. T. Martin, state club agent for the Missouri College of Agriculture, by one or all of the following groups.

By members of one home economics demonstration team, by members of one agricultural demonstration team, and by members of one dairy demonstration team.

By members of one judging team in garment making and by members of one judging team in canning.

By members of one judging team in dairy and by members of one judging team in live stock.

By all live stock club exhibitors.

By one style show club champion.

By two health club champions (one boy and one girl), and any previous health club champion.

By leaders who chaperone the club members.

The first meal in camp will be served on Sunday evening, August 15, and the last meal will be served Saturday morning, August 21. Meals will be served at actual cost. Cots will be furnished free.

Without a doubt this will be Missouri's greatest 4-H club camp to date. This is the first time that the State Fair management has made provision for feeding the boys and girls in camp. The attendance expected this year is at least 225 as compared to 190 last year.

The girls' tents will be set up inside an enclosure close to the Women's Building. The boys will camp near the old club building and near the University Building.

Parnell

(Willing Workers.)

Mrs. Ben McClain and daughters, Maxine, Clarice and Evelyn and son, Jack and Mrs. Zeph Crenshaw visited the amusement park at Grant City Thursday.

Mrs. B. A. Jones and daughter, Pauline, were Maryville visitors Saturday.

Harry Nelson of Barnard attended the school board meeting here Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Prather and daughters, Hazel, Goldie and Margaret, and Miss Clara Taylor were shopping in Maryville Saturday.

Mrs. Jane Wilson returned to her home Monday after spending a few days with relatives and friends in Sheridan.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Cox and daughters, Lillian and Dorothy, and Miss Lela Cox of Parnell, C. J. Witmer and Miss Margaret McCord of Grant City, E. Spainhower and daughters, Hazel, Marjorie and Garnet, and son, Herbert of Stanberry, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lyle of near Maryville.

Dr. and Mrs. J. S. Matteson and sons visited in Clarinda, Ia., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Wilson and niece, Millicent Beair, spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Crenshaw and family and Mrs. Zeph Crenshaw visited Sunday afternoon in Clarinda, Ia.

Mrs. Ben McClain, her daughters, Maxine, Clarice and son, Jack, Mrs. Clyde Murdock and daughter, Ruth Ellen, visited Sunday afternoon in Grant City.

Frank Logan spent Sunday with home folks.

Mrs. Martha Dean is spending a few days with relatives here.

Frank Berg returned Sunday from a visit in Louisiana.

Frank McClain of Omaha spent Sunday in Parnell.

Mrs. Ralph Lewis and daughters left Tuesday for a visit in and around Kansas City.

Mrs. G. T. Wilson and niece, Millicent Beaird, spent Tuesday in Grant City with Mrs. Wilson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Anderson.

Mrs. Ella Stephens is in St. Joseph spending a few days visiting her daughter, Mrs. Garfield Calkins.

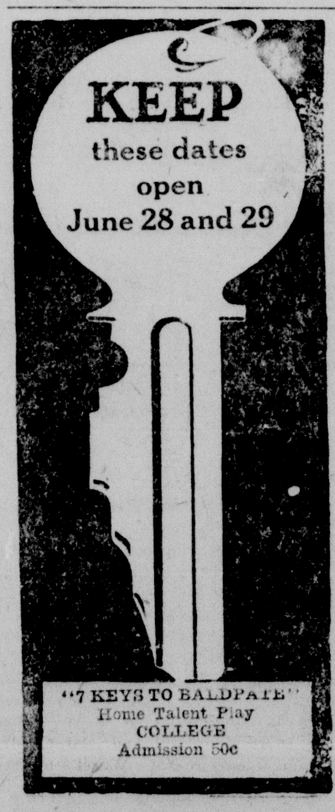
Caroll Meyers came Saturday from St. Joseph to spend the week-end with his family, who are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Walters.

Mrs. Lizzie Dye was a dinner guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Hall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Meyers and children spent Sunday at the John Murphy home and Mrs. Irvin Walters and sons near Sheridan.

Girl's Noses Will Not Shine Now

A new kind of face powder is here. Made by a new French Process—stays on until you take it off. Pores and lines do not show. Not affected by perspiration. Gives life and beauty to your complexion almost unbelieveable. It is called MELLO-GLO. You will love it. Maryville Drug Co.—Adv.



Mrs. Ben Brashear returned to her home Monday after a few days spent with relatives in Blockton, Ia.

Mrs. Lizzie Dye has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kibler.

Work has been begun on the new walk on the West side of the east park.

Mrs. Benedict, a home missionary from Kansas City, filled the pulpit Sunday at the M. E. Church in the absence of the Rev. L. F. Focht.

Kurtz Receives Some British Newspapers

Fred Kurtz has received copies of three British publications, issued during the recent general strike in Great Britain. The papers, the British Gazette, the Evening Standard and the British Worker, tell of the strike and the government's efforts to stop it. The papers were sent to Mr. Kurtz by his cousin, John Dalton, a London book printer.

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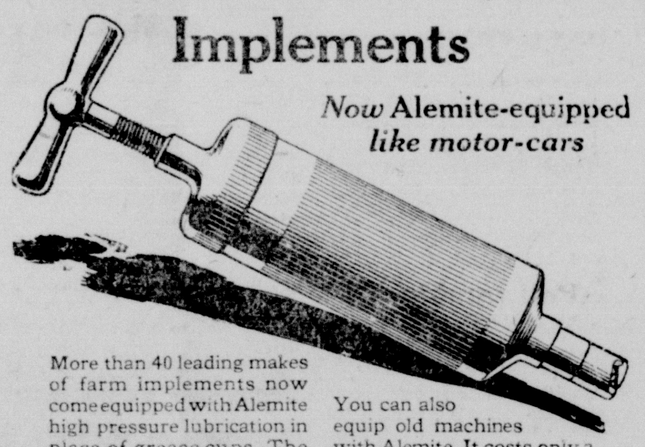

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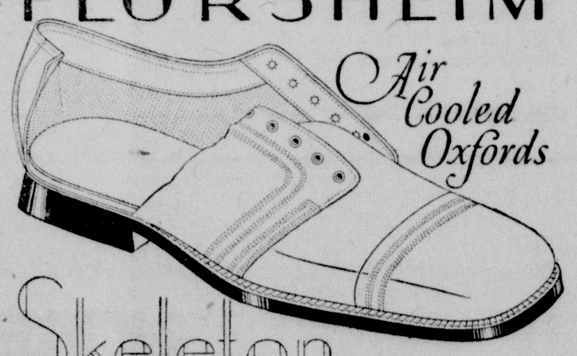

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The BOBCAT

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SYNOPSIS.

Big Tim Burke, real estate operator, and known to his associates as a land pirate, discharges one of his young lieutenants called Pol Gaillard, because he is irritated by the latter's sleekness of appearance, and nonchalant manner. Pol learns that his ex-boss covets a desirable piece of Long Island property owned by Professor Husted and that another land shark, Michael Cadrigan, is after the same bit of land. Cadrigan lives on the shore of Long Island sound with his step-daughter, Veronica. His estate is across the bay from that of Professor Husted. The old professor lives like a hermit, and Veronica is his only visitor. Cadrigan asks Veronica to discontinue calling on the old man, intimating that the professor's enemies may harm her. Noticing a sloop anchored opposite the house, Veronica suggests to her step-father that they call on the owner. They are invited on board, and their host introduces himself as Pol Gaillard, posing as an itinerant poet and artist. That night Pol rows over to the Husted house and while he is ashore his sloop is cut adrift. He rows over to his boat and releases his second anchor. The next night he and Veronica meet at Professor Husted's house. On leaving Pol finds his boat has been scuttled. Veronica tells Cadrigan of Pol's experiences.

INSTALLMENT XV.

AN EFFECTIVE TONIC.

Veronica laughed. It was in such little talks as these that Cadrigan held a sympathy which might have slipped. He possessed a bluff, boyish frankness that so often glosses and conceals the cold cunning.

"I've been wondering," said Veronica," how much Mr. Gailliard may have lost by the sinking of his boat. There were his sketches and clothes and the roof that sheltered him, and maybe all his money. He can't live by his cat, like Dick Whittington."

Cadrigan's forehead knit under the thick, close cropped hair that grew down on it.

"That is so. It may have left him flat. I should not pick him for a provident lad. And if he is on the beach, he may find means to billet himself on the professor indefinitely. He has got to make a home for the cat. As a poet, I should say he was a dub, though not qualified to judge myself, but his pictures are pleasing. I was talking last evenin' to our neighbor, Mrs. Tait, and told her about him. She seemed to think she would like a sketch of her new house and grounds. I wonder now if we could not shift him over there. An order might give him the grubstake to move on."

"You might get it confirmed," said Veronica, "and then go over and tell him about it and offer to lend him some clothes. I feel as if we ought to do something."

"My rig would fit him like a sentry box, but he might make shift with a golf outfit. Tell Luigi to see what he can dig out. Perhaps, as you say, we are in some degree responsible. You can go yourself. I do not hit it off with the professor. But take care you do not get too interested in this glib young man. I know the breed. Smooth as oil, with always an eye liftin' to the canary cage. He would make a mouthful of a pretty bird like you."

Veronica gave him a scornful look. "The feathers would choke him."

"Let us hope he may never get that far. Turn him over to Mrs. Tait. A widow in the thirties knows what to do with young poets. One more foot to add to her collection might make the set complete. Perhaps it may keep them both out of mischief, or at the least different sorts of mischief. Oil is a good thing with which to fight fire when one is heavily insured. She might get him more orders—or keep him under hers. When a lad is presentable and has an eye on the main chance, he can jimmy his way into anything with a paint brush or a pencil."

This subtle delineation of personality was an effective tonic to Veronica, as Cadrigan had craftily intended it to be. He knew she had some experience of fortune hunting adventurers and an abomination of their cult. She had encountered them on ocean liners and at places of resort. But she had scarcely any money in her own right. Cadrigan, though generous, had settled nothing on his wife, and the estate of Count di Corroli was a name rather than an actuality. The Italian nobility is one of the few given to the making of love matches. Veronica might one day inherit from Cadrigan, richly if he did not marry again, for he was at odds with his relatives. He had acquired a certain culture that they had not, principally through an occupation that was grandiose and brought him in contact with cultured people. He was quick to learn, and he possessed for architecture and furnishing and the broad embellishment of handsome estates a knowledge that was combined with natural taste.

It must be remembered, also that Cadrigan's immediate forebears had been merely a social and financial lapse in a line of Irish lesser nobility, so that he was actually entitled to his gifts. The money struggle of three generations had proved a tempering process. Cadrigan's education had been scarcely more than a series of athletic events and triumphs, his studies merely enough to get him a degree.

He now left Veronica, who found herself suddenly facing an embarrassing situation of her own making. This was another subtlety of Cadrigan's. He never clashed with his step-daughter. When he disapproved a course of hers he encouraged it; then found means to show it to her from its most distasteful angle, made of it an obligation that immediately became in the nature of a nuisance. This had had a great deal to do with the limitations of her social life. Cadrigan could take the pleasure out of a proposed event in kindly guise, but as effectually as seasickness on a gay yachting party.

So that now Veronica found the position of Pol and his predicament stripped of its romance and thrust upon her rather in the light of a stray ingratiating cat she had befriended, brought home, and was now required to provide for. She did not want to carry clothes and counsel to him, nor serve as marraine for his introduction to a neighbor. Veronica knew this neighbor, Mrs. Tate, fairly well, and liked her.

For a moment she was tempted to leave the relief of Pol's immediate needs to Luigi, and have him take over such things as the man servant might see fit. But intuition told her that such procedure would be almost certain to be met with the polite return of them with thanks, and Veronica felt really sorry for Pol and desired to be of service to him. She had no idea at all of what his resources might or might not be, whether he was well off or well connected, or the reverse. In either case, it would be several days before he could equip himself. It was therefore, rather shamefacedly that she explained the situation to Luigi and asked him to overhaul her step-father's wardrobe to see what could be done. The Italian man servant was frank in his disapproval of Veronica's involving herself in the affair.

"What you know about this feller?" he demanded.

"Why, that he's an artist who's got into this fix through my fault," she answered sharply.

"How your fault? You don't tell him to come here?"

"We called on him, and I asked him to go with me to see the professor, and it was while we were there that they sank his boat and painted these daggers. What do you think of these threats, Luigi?"

"I think they are a lot of bums. Try to frighten everybody."

"How about the way you tried to scare me yesterday?"

"That's different. They don't try to threaten you."

"Why don't you like Professor Husted, Luigi?"

"Never you mind," his voice was husky. "I see what I find," and he left the room more quickly than was his won't.

Veronica pondered this. She had never been able to understand what struck her as a curious combination of aversion and something like dread with which Luigi seemed to regard Professor Husted. Sometimes she felt vaguely that Cadrigan shared in this, but her instinct told her that the professor was precisely what he appeared to be, a kindly but determined recluse, intellectual, benevolent beneath his stern aloofness from his kind, and with an unexpected sense of satirical, but not unpleasant, humor. Veronica could not believe he had ever been insane. She was inclined to think he had gone to the retreat voluntarily for rest and quiet and to be rid of the annoyance of being reputed "cracked," and had then stayed on there because he liked it, indifferent to the vagaries of its inmates, whom he may have regarded, in a sort of contempt of the world at large and his malicious, narrow minded neighbors in particular, as quite as sane as they and in some respects far less objectionable.

The sole obliquity observed about him there and that which established the director's diagnosis of his mental derangement had been the professor's apparent belief that he was serving a voluntary penance for some sort of criminal offense committed in a moment of uncontrolled passion. This theory was not the result of any confession, nor in answer to subtle attempts at questioning. The professor had spent a great deal of his time in the writing of reams and reams of curious poetry, a sort of religious epic of the Old Testament. He had kept the manuscript locked in his old hide trunk, and in the hope of getting some clew to his derangement, a key had been fitted and the manuscript examined in his absence. This had not shown a great deal, except for certain passages that were in a veiled way self-denunciatory and that frequently reiterated the moral obligation of the writer to a term of self-inflicted duress.

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(Continued tomorrow).

GIRLS' TRAINING CAMPS CAN BE HELPEUL

To Have a Strong, Healthy Body, Capable of Fine Motherhood, Should Be the Ambition of Uncle Sam's Daughters.

By ROYAL S. COPELAND, M. D.
United States Senator From New York.
Former Commissioner of Health, New York City.

DR. ROYAL S. COPELAND

Much has been said lately about the importance of training camps for women. It occurs to me it might be interesting to see what the training camp idea has in it beyond the joy of the outing.

When the Great War came on it found some nations almost unprepared in a physical way to undertake offensive warfare. A few men only had discussed "preparedness" and lifted up their voices in a demand for physical training.

Not long ago a young woman wrote President Coolidge, stating that women are just as much established and maintained by the Government. She demanded that training camps for women be established and maintained by the government. She believes the nation will benefit just as much by the training of its women as the training of its men.

There is much to be said in favor of this idea. The fact is, it is vitally important for the women of a nation to be hearty and husky, well trained physically, and prepared for their particular duties.

I speak of "particular duties." The greatest duty of womankind is the duty, as well as the obligation, the privilege and joy of motherhood. Speaking for the moment purely from the physiological standpoint, the greatest possible asset of any nation is the possession of a race of women qualified for parenthood.

I am familiar with the criticisms of certain groups of "modern women" who sneer at all who talk this way about their sex. They resent, they say, being considered merely as "brood animals." They don't want to be regarded as "breeding machines," etc., etc. You know the story.

It always hurts me to hear such statements. I look upon mothers as the very chief of God's creations. "He couldn't be everywhere," somebody said, "so God made mothers!"

Nobody who has any sense disregards the mental and spiritual development of women. Most of us view with delight her emancipation from social and political slavery. But, for myself, I can conceive of no greater calamity than to deprive woman of these opportunities which best prepare her for her greatest duty to society.

The out-of-door life, hill climbing, horseback riding, golf, tennis, systematic daily practice of each or some of those sports will do every thing to develop the physique of fair woman. Equally useful are gardening, bee-keeping, fruit raising and all the out-of-door activities of a similar nature.

Where are the "farmerettes"—have they become extinct? Let us encourage any and every plan for regular, supervised and sustained efforts at development of the muscles and tissues of our young women. No other investment can possibly return half so much on the capital.

Answers To Health Queries.

Q.—How much should a young man nineteen, 6 feet, 1 inch weigh?

A.—He should weigh about 163 pounds.

A. L. Q.—What do you advise for freckles?

A.—Equal parts of lemon juice and peroxide will act as a bleach for freckles—use a good cold cream after using, since the preparation may prove drying to the skin.

E. R. E. Q.—What should a girl of fifteen, 5 feet 8 inches weigh?
2.—What should a boy seventeen, 5 feet 1 inch tall weigh?
3.—What should a woman thirty-six, 5 feet, 5 inches weigh?

A.—They should weigh 134, 142 and 136 pounds respectively.

A. J. E. Q.—I am near sighted and wear glasses. Can anything be done to prevent the eyes from getting worse?
2.—Do moving pictures strain the eyes, also reading?

A.—Nothing more.
2.—Should not strain if you are wearing the proper glasses.

"A CONSTANT READER." Q.—What causes severe pain in the stomach and what will relieve it?
2.—What causes ringing in the ears?
3.—What do you advise for pleurisy?

A.—This may be due to indigestion, or poor elimination and should be corrected.
2.—This is usually due to nasal catarrh which has extended to the middle ear. Send self-addressed, stamped envelope for further particulars and repeat your question.
3.—Applications of heat and strapping the back with adhesive tape, usually help.

M. S. Q.—Would rubbing the face with alcohol injure the eyes?

A.—Great care should be taken that you do not get the alcohol into the eyes. Alcohol is very drying to the skin if used to any extent.

HARMONY

Miles Spargur, who is president of the sub district in which Gaynor, Parnell and Sheridan are located, was present at the afternoon session of our Sunday school convention last Sunday. Mr. Spargur is one of the most tireless of the Sunday school workers in Nodaway County.

Leatha Lawson and Doris McKee visited home folks Saturday and Sunday and returned to their school work Sunday evening.

Miss Mildred Fanning, who now lives near Barnard, was visiting her many friends in this neighborhood last week and the first of this.

Rev. Underwood was transacting business in Maryville last Wednesday.

Mr. G. H. Null, drove up from St. Joseph last Friday, a fine, new 5 passenger Oldsmobile sedan. Hot ziggity, some class.

It doesn't appear as though Mr. Reed covered himself with glory in his examination of Wayne B. Wheeler last week. What we need in Missouri is more "Rid us of Reed" clubs.

Miss Kibbe conducted orchestra Friday evening with regular lessons Saturday. She remained over Sunday to assist in the musical part of the Sunday school convention and returned to her school work Sunday evening.

Miss Mildred Woodburn very handsomely entertained a group of young folks at a birthday party last Tuesday afternoon. Games and music made up the entertainment, after which refreshments were served. The following were guests: Neva and Theron Evans, Pauline Heflin and Robert Buck, Marie and Orville Underwood, Marvin Woodburn, Fay Simmons and Wilma Grace Lewis, besides the hostess and her sister Gwendolyn.

We seem to be living in the region of daily thunder storms.

Now let's all drag the roads.

The convention of the Sixth District of Sunday School Workers, at the church, Sunday, June 20, was one of the most successful of recent years. There are four Sunday schools in this district: The Methodist school at Conception, Christian and Methodist at Ravenwood and our own, and all were represented, both of the Ravenwood schools by large delegations.

The hour from 11 to 12 a. m., was devoted to music, songs and orchestra selections. The Ravenwood orchestra was especially strong, and rendered two selections in a very capable manner. Mr. Chas. Thomas acted as conductor. Our own orchestra played under the leadership of Miss Maude Kibbe. Miss Kibbe also gave a violin solo in a most charming manner.

After a most bounteous dinner, the afternoon program was opened with a devotional service led by Rev. Allsup. Following this was an address by Prof Harry Miller delivered in his inimitable manner, and based on the salient points of personality, cheerfulness, courage, self-confidence and love. The meeting then resolved itself into a series of conferences, the administrative department of which was addressed by Prof. C. C. Leeson, and the Young People's Department by Mr. Roseberry. The closing talk by Rev. Musgrave was a strong appeal for Christian Education and especially the church school. This is the first time Rev. Musgrave has spoken in this community, and we certainly hope we may have the opportunity to hear him again.

Mrs. Fryar was present and checked up on the standards attained by the Sunday schools of the district. The closing talk of the session was made by Mr. Roseberry and this was followed by the election of officers for the ensuing year. Mr. Needles, was of course retained as president and some few changes were made in the personnel of the remaining officers.

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As Cloudburst Hit Illinois City

Rockford, Ill., looked like Venice after the cloudburst hit it. Great property damage was caused and business was suspended until the waters subsided. Above is shown part of the residential district, with the water nearly level with the first floors of the houses. Below is shown a downtown street. Arrow points to the top of a submerged automobile, abandoned when the cloudburst came.

This was undoubtedly the best attended and most interesting convention that has been held in the district for some time. Much credit must be given the committee who prepared the program, and especially to Rev. Underwood upon whom the local arrangements devolved.

Kansas Ranchers Revive Old Cattle Trail

Matfield Green, Kan., June 23.—Harking back to former days when fences were unknown in these parts and when cowboys abounded the large ranches, cattlemen of the Flint Hills section of Kansas have found trailing cattle a more economical method of moving them than shipping by rail.

Long trails of dust laden clouds were seen near here this spring when Crocker Brothers, extensive cattle raisers of this country, moved a herd of more than 2,500 head by trailing from the Osage country in Oklahoma to Chase and Butler counties of Kansas. The cattle had been wintered on pastures in the Osage country.

The greater part of the herd was rounded up in the vicinity of Foreaker, Okla., and driven to the south part of Chase County, Kan. According to the owners, the drive required ten days.

The Crocker Brothers found that the expense of bringing the herd into Kansas for the summer to be between 30 and 40 per cent less than the cost of transportation by rail would have totaled.

Ox Cart Expedition to Cross Northwest

Williston, N. D., June 23.—The Columbia River Historic expedition traveling the the ox-cart trail from Chicago to the coast, will be entertained at a reception at Fort Union July 17.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

I HEREBY announce my candidacy for the Democratic Nomination to the office of County Clerk of Nodaway County at the August Primaries.
FRED GADDIS,
Independence Township.

I hereby announce myself as candidate to the Republican nomination of Recorder of Deeds, subject to the voters in the August 3rd primaries.
JACK W. GREESON,
Maryville, Missouri.

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WANTED—Stock to pasture.—Inquire H. J. Beedle, Ravenwood.

FOR SALE—Fresh milk goats. Well broken. Heavy milkers.—Ed Smith at Quitman.

FOR SALE—3-year-old cow, gentle for woman, good milker.—Josh Bliss, 722 East 2nd.

FOR SALE—Poland-China boar; 2 years old; 450 pounds.—Farmers 47-14.

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ARTICLES FOR SALE 37

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WANTED—Clean rags; free from lint and buttons.—Democrat-Forum.

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FOR RENT—Modern 5-room flat.—$25 per month.—Yeo Bros.

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FOR RENT—25-acre bluegrass pasture. Ina Gray, Phone 6-2638, St. Joseph, Mo.

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EXCELSIOR ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Carmichael and daughter, Anna Belle, Mrs. Belle Davis and son, Archie, Harvey Davison and family, Robert Ramsey and family and Roy Ringgold and family spent Sunday in Clarinda.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Blanchard and Mrs. Day Skinner were visiting a few days in the Harvey Davison home.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Griffith and Roine Piveral spent Sunday evening at Wm. Keith's.

Ross Wells and family spent Wednesday at Bedford.

Mrs. Linn Butts and son, Billy, of Denver, Colo., spent Thursday night and Friday at Ross Wells', Mrs. Wm. Wells was a Friday visitor.

Miss Zoe Keith is spending this week with Mrs. John Carmichael.

Myrl and Howard Keith, Mrs. Laura Morehouse and Robert and Adaline, spent Sunday at Workman Chapel.

Chas. Baker and family and Mrs. Dow Huntsman spent Thursday in Clarinda.

Mildred and Harry Bird and Stanley Huntsman spent Thursday with Mrs. Golda Morehouse.

Mrs. Ike Carmichael and Mrs. Homer Carmichael and daughter, Anna Belle, spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Belle Davison.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Morehouse spent Thursday evening at Chas. Baker's.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Harris and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox spent Thursday in Clarinda.

Leman and Robert Morehouse, Grover Sparks, S. D. Harris, and Curtis Hodges were working on the bridge near the Ross Wells home, Wednesday afternoon.

Loy Blanchard and family and Wm. Hoy and family spent Thursday in Clarinda.

Dow Huntsman and family and Harlan Davison were Sunday visitors at Chas. Baker's.

Ula Morehouse and children spent Sunday at Leman Morehouse's.

Mrs. May Harris is spending a few days with Mrs. J. E. Anderson.

Naval Plane to Make Flight of 26 Hours

New Engines Placed in Boeing PB-1 C.aft, Says Nodaway County Boy at San Diego.

This is the second of a series of articles which E. R. ("Jack") Gorton, former Nodaway County boy, has proposed to write for the Democrat-Forum and Tribune about the activities of the United States armed forces. He is in the United States Naval Service at the Naval Air Station at San Diego, Cal.

Announcement that the Boeing Hawaiian flight plane PB-1, will arrive here, San Diego, from Seattle within the next two weeks and, after being tuned up, will be sent aloft for a 26-hour endurance flight, was made yesterday by Com. Karl F. Smith, senior aid on the staff of Capt. John M. Reeves, commanding aircraft squadrons, battle fleet.

Lieut. Ralph Davison, a Missouri man, will pilot the twin-motor Boeing on the flight down the coast.

Previous plans of having the seaplane make a non-stop flight from Seattle to San Diego and then keeping the craft in the air over the city until the fuel supply became exhausted have been abandoned.

No attempts to break existing world records for duration will be made on the 26-hour flight, Com. Smith said. The seaplane pilots will be given wide latitude to take the ship along the coast if they wish in order to vary the monotony of remaining aloft day and night.

Because of the poor showing made by the Boeing on the Hawaiian flight project, at which time it did not start from San Francisco Bay because of continuous motor and other mechanical faults, the proposed 26-hour duration flight will not be attempted until North Island mechanics have inspected and tuned up the ship. New type Packard motors have been installed to replace the engines which literally shook the plane to pieces during the flight from Seattle to San Francisco last fall.

Twenty-five planes of squadrons VO-1 and VO-2 arrived from the battleships at San Pedro last Saturday morning, June 12. These squadrons will remain based at North Island for three months.

Maneuvers On East Coast, 1927.

Official advices that the battle fleet will not sail from San Diego and San Pedro, Jan. 3, for the cruise to the Atlantic coast but will delay its departure until Feb. 19 and possibly until March, were received in fleet circles a few days ago from the navy department.

Under the revised schedule of fleet operations, the date for the 1927 army and navy exercises in Warragansett Bay has been moved to May 16, with both the battle fleet from the Pacific and the scouting fleet from the Atlantic participating.

Rear Admiral Ashley Robertson, now commandant of the 11th naval district, will command the scouting fleeet during the war exercises off the New England coast, while Admiral Richard Jackson will command the battle fleet.

Previous plans had centered about the late summer or early fall of 1927 for the maneuvers, and the change leaves the war department with no special appropriation available for its share in the proposed combined army and navy exercises.

Troop stationed in New England and New York, supplemented possibly by national guard and organized reserve forces will be available in May, however, and the army air service will have sufficient facilities available to permit a defensive air concentration.

Plan Test of Aircraft.

Should either of the two giant navy airplane carriers Saratoga and Lexington be ready for active service, the Navy department announces that there will be a practical test of the offensive and defensive values of aircraft in coastal operations. As now planned, approximately 200 naval planes of all types will take part in the aerial maneuvers that will be a feature of next year's combined army and navy exercises on the New England coast.

The new fleet schedule calls for the departure of the battleships divisions, submarines, destroyers and aircraft forces from the San Diego area, February 19 for Balboa. Minor joint exercises with the army will take place during the transmit of the canal. The fleet will reach Guantanamo March 15, to join the scouting fleet from the Atlantic, and the combined force will sail from Guantanamo April 23 for New York. It will leave New York May 16 for Narragansett bay.

The final program for the army probably will not be worked out for several months but it is understood that all army air service pussuit, bombardment and scouting squadrons based in the east and middlewest and in Texas, will be mobilized at Langley and Mitchell fields to repel any air attacks that may be staged by the fleet from the carriers Saratoga and Langley and from the battleships.

Kansas Town Boasts of Daily Duck Eggs

Elk, Kan., June 23.—Having duck eggs for sale any day of the week is the distinction that Charles Bryant, owner of the village store, claims for his establishment and also for his town. The village, composed of nine persons boasts that it is the only place in the state where ducks can be purchased regularly. They are furnished Bryant by Mrs. Ted Thomas, who has a flock of wild ducks which she has domesticated.

Former U. S. Officer Dies Near St. Louis

St. Louis, June 23.—William C. Goshorn, former group chief of federal prohibition agents here, died at his home at Belle Flower, near here today of a heart attack.

His death followed a brief illness.

Says County Courts Cannot Police Roads

Attorney-General Rules Only Sheriff Has Power to Appoint and Pay Patrol Officers.

Jefferson City, June 23.—No county court in Missouri has authority to appoint officers to patrol the State highways in a county, to search for liquor law violators or enforce the motor vehicle laws, Attorney-General Gentry ruled in an opinion issued yesterday to the Prosecuting Attorney of Jefferson County.

Gentry says there is no State law authorizing such a road patrol, and held that the County Court had no power to appoint such a patrol or pay salaries of the officers. Enforcement of the motor vehicle law was the duty of the Sheriff and his deputies, the opinion stated. Establishment of a State highway patrol with power only to enforce the State road laws and traffic regulations is proposed in highway safety legislation to be submitted to the next Legislature.

Magnus Johnson Victor in Primary

St. Paul, June 23.—Once more Magnus Johnson is an outstanding factor in Minnesota politics, for the former United States senator staged a comeback in Monday's primary that gave him the Farmer-Labor gubernatorial nomination.

Johnson will oppose Governor Theodore Christianson, Republican, and Judge Alfred Jacques, Duluth, Democrat, in the fall election. Johnson sought the Republican gubernatorial nomination several years ago, before his senatorial aspirations bore fruit, but he was defeated.

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Receipts 8,500; market steady to 10c lower. Top, $14.75; bulk, $14.10 to $14.50.

Cattle.

Receipts 2,500; market slow, steady. bulk of steers $8.75 to $10.
Cows and heifers $3.75 to $9.60.
Calves $4.50 to $9.00.
Stockers and feeders $6.50 and $8.50.

Sheep.

Receipts 1,500; market steady to strong.
Lambs $14 to $15.25.
Ewes $5.25 to $6.25.

OMAHA LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Receipts 9,000; market steady.

Hogs.

Receipts 11,500; market 10c to 25c lower.

Sheep.

Receipts 11,000; market strong.

KANSAS CITY LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 9,000; market steady to 10c lower.
Bulk, 14.10 to $14.50.
Heavies, $13.75 to $14.40.
Butchers, $14.15 to $14.10.
Lights, $14.50 to $14.75.
Pigs, $14.50 to $15.75.

Cattle.

Receipts 8,500; market weak to 25c lower.
Prime fed steers, $9.65 to $10.50.
Dressed beef steers, $8.25 to $9.65.
Western steers, $8.50 to $9.65.
Southern steers, $6 to $9.
Cows, $4 to $7.75.
Heifers, $6 to $10.
Stockers and feeders, $6.25 to $9.25.
Bulls, $4.50 to $6.50.
Calves, $6 to $9.50.

Sheep.

Receipts 5,000; market steady.
Spring lambs, $13.75 to $15.55.
Yearlings, $9.75 to $11.25.
Ewes, $5 to $6.50.
Wethers, $7.50 to $8.75.
Stockers and feeders, $12.25 to $13.50.

EAST ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK.

Cattle.

Receipts 12,500; market steady to 10c lower.

Hogs.

Receipts 4,500; market slow; steady.

Sheep.

Receipts 3,000; market steady to strong.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Hogs.

Receipts 15,000; market steady to 10c lower.

Cattle.

Receipts 11,000; market uneven.

Sheep.

Receipts 9,000; market steady to strong.

Chicago Grain Table.

	Open	High	Low	Close	Yest.
Wheat—					
July	1.37⅛	1.37½	1.36¾	1.37⅛	1.37⅜
Sept.	1.33¼	1.33⅝	1.32⅞	1.33⅜	1.33⅝
Dec.	1.35¼	1.36	1.35⅛	1.35⅜	1.35¾
CORN—					
July	.69⅝	.70¾	.69⅜	.70	.69¼
Sept.	.75⅛	.76⅛	.75	.75⅝	.75
Dec.	.76⅞	.76⅞	.76⅛	.76⅛	.76⅞

Chicago Cash Grain.

WHEAT—No. 1 hard, $1.51¾; No. 2 hard, $1.50 to $1.51½; No. 3 hard, $1.47½; No. 2 red, $1.45¼ to $1.46½.

CORN—No. 2 yellow, 71¼c to 72½c; No. 3 yellow, 69½c to 69¾c; No. 2 mixed, 71c to 71¼c; No. 3 mixed, 69½c; No. 2 white, 71¾c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 40¼c to 40½c; No. 3 white, 39½c to 40¼c.

HAY—Timothy, $6 to $7; clover, $12 to $28.

RYE—No. 3, 90¼c.

BARLEY—69c.

Kansas City Grain, Hay, Produce.

Wheat 139 cars; hard, 2c to 3c lower; No. 2 hard, $1.58 to $1.60; No. 3 hard, $1.55 to $1.58; No. 2 red, $1.44 to $1.45; No. 3 red, $1.35 to $1.42.

CORN—21 cars; market unchanged to ½c higher; No. 2 mixed, 70½c to 71c; No. 3 mixed, 69c to 70c; No. 2 yellow, 73½c to 74½c; No. 2 white, 71½c to 71¾c.

OATS—9 cars; market ½c to 1c lower; No. 2 white, 42c to 43c.

RYE—No. 2, 90c.

HAY—Prairie, choice, $15 to $16.50; timothy, No. 1, $23 to $23.50; alfalfa, choice, $17.50 to $19.50.

Eggs, 27½c; selected, 31c to 32c; butter, 41c to 42c; packing, 24c; hens, 25c; turkeys and young toms, 30c; broilers, 32c; ducks, 13c; geese, 9c.

Closing Grain Review.

Chicago, June 23.—Grain prices were irregular on the close of the Chicago Board of Trade today but the pits displayed the firmest undertone in sometime.

The fine weather all over the wheat belt, weak Liverpool cables and the advance of any real outside interests caused wheat to close fractionally lower for July and short deliveries did gain a small fraction in the December position. Trading was local in nature and the prices fluctuated within a very narrow range.

The only real dip came shortly after the opening and losses were not recorded.

The purchase of considerable amounts of cash corn by various industries using that cereal and the purchase of a good amount of July futures enabled corn to close a good fraction above yesterday's final quotation in all positions.

Oats closed about unchanged after a very dull day.

Provisions were up early in the day on commission house buying but closed lower because of selling by packers.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Eggs, per doz.	22c
Cream, per lb.	36c
Heavy hens, per lb.	20c
Light hens, per lb.	16c
Springs, per lb.	25c
Leghorn Springs, per lb.	20c
Cocks, per lb.	7c
Geese, per lb.	10c
Ducks, per lb.	10c
Hides, per lb.	5c

Queer Tricks Played in Kansas Twister

Saffordville, Kan., June 23.—Picking up a garage, carrying it up in the air and then setting it down several rods away without any damage is one of the tricks of the twister that visited Chase county last week. The garage on the Lind farm, where Harry Copple lives, was the building to be the object of the small cyclone.

Samuel Umbarger, who lives seven miles north of here, relates that a large poultry house was rolled over like a tumble weed before the force of the wind let up and the chicken house came to a stop.

However, the farmers were benefitted more than the damage incurred, as the rain was considered valuable to the crops at this time.

Creston, Ia., Couple Licensed.

A marriage license was issued this afternoon to Harold Oswald and Loretta Case, both of Creston, Ia.

Spent Fortune in Search

"I spent $1,800 in 7 years treating with physicians, some specialists costing me $10 a visit, only to at last say that nothing could be done for me, that I had cancer or ulcers of the stomach. I suffered awful pains in my stomach, but after taking a few doses of MAYRS these all disappeared and for 3 years am feeling fine." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. At all druggists.—Adv.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: A Good Business Manager

GEE, IT'S SWELL TO HAVE DOUGH AND KNOW YOU EARNED IT - NOW I CAN HAVE LOTS O' NEW DRESSES AN' TRICK SHOES AN' HATS AN' EVERYTHING -
OH, HELLO, MR LITTLE CASINO -
HELLO THERE, ANNIE -
YES, ANNIE, YOU'RE KNOCKING DOWN REAL MONEY NOW AND AS YOUR BUSINESS MANAGER ALLOW ME TO ADVISE YOU TO SAVE IT - PUT IT AWAY WHILE YOU'RE MAKING IT AND YOU'LL HAVE IT WHEN YOU NEED IT -
THAT SURE WAS GOOD ADVICE, SANDY - I'VE GOT ALL THE CLOTHES I NEED AND WE GET OUR EATS FOR NOTHIN' - YESSIR - I'M GOIN' TO SAVE MY MONEY AND GET RICH, I AM -
HAROLD GRAY
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PUBLIC SALE

at residence, 935 S. Walnut
Saturday, June 26
2 o'clock p. m.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS — Heating stove, oil stove, range, organ, chairs, 2 oak library tables, rugs, carpets, etc. About ten bus. corn, corn sheller, harrow, hand cart, wheel barrow, ladders, and other articles of estate of the late J. C. Archer.

J. L. Reddick, Executor
R. P. Hosmer, Auct.

So Now It's Dr. Henry Ford

Henry Ford has the title of doctor now, and this picture shows him getting it. He was given the honorary degree of doctor of mechanical engineering at the University of Michigan commencement exercises.

SHOULD ABIDE BY MAJORITY

LAW OBSERVANCE IS DUTY, REAVIS SAYS IN ADDRESS.

HONESTY IS ESSENTIAL

Co-Operation and Diplomacy Should Also Be Taught By Schools, He Tells College Students.

"The function of the public school is to teach certain cardinal principles of the youth of today," George W. Reavis, director of vocational education for Missouri, said this morning at the State Teachers College assembly. Mr. Reavis is a candidate for the Republican nomination for state superintendent of schools.

Co-operation, old-fashioned honesty, diplomacy and judgment are requisite characteristics for success, it was pointed out by Mr. Reavis.

"We have no room for solo players in the great business of living," he said. "Teamwork is essential in all movements."

A good appearance is another important thing the schools should teach, in the opinion of the state official, who added that a person can be diplomatic without compromising dignity.

Regarding patfiotism, Mr. Reavis declared that it was the duty of all citizens to abide by the decision of the majority.

"I have no fault to find with the man who thinks a law unjust, but if the majority says it is right, then he should obey it," the speaker continued.

As director of vocational education in Missouri, Mr. Reavis is in charge of the expenditure of $400,000 a year. One-half of this is supplied by the federal government and the remainder by the state. There are one hundred vocational agriculture schools in Missouri and Mr. Reavis' department pays two-thirds of the salaries in these schools. One-third of the salaries of maintaining home economics departments is paid through his department.

"Maryville High School has one of the best vocational agriculture and home economics departments in Missouri," Mr. Reavis said in his address this morning.

For Changing License, $50

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The plaintiff, the bank, claims that Edgar Henderson, the son of J. M. Henderson, sold some corn and hogs that he had mortgaged to the bank, and that J. M. Henderson conveyed it to his daughter-in-law, the wife of Edgar Henderson, for a consideration of $2, real estate worth $10,000, to put the property out of the reach of his creditors.

The defendants contend the real estate was deeded by Henderson, who is 76 years old, to his daughter-in-law to pay her for nursing and taking care of him, and that the corn and live stock sold by Edgar Henderson was with the knowledge and consent of the bank.

The jury hearing the case is composed of A. L. Nash, John Boyer, William Honer, O. E. Bradley, J. F. Lager, Ray Stewart, H. E. Wright, Fred Miller, Tom Parle, W. J. Montgomery, J. A. Ford and Harry Harrison.

Other proceedings in court were: John A. Fields vs. J. M. Henderson, attachment, continued on application and at costs of plaintiff.

T. C. Power & Bro. Ltd., vs. Tilden S. Craig, et. al., attachment, judgment by default set aside by agreement and plaintiff instructed to return money to clerk. Defendants and garnishee enter their appearance and have within ninty days to file answer. Continued.

SPANISH VETS ELECT FINKE

ST. LOUISAN IS CHOSEN COMMANDER SECOND TIME.

REFUSED BY SNYDER

Local Man, Urged As Compromise Candidate, Declines Chief Honor.—Is Made Junior Vice-Commander.

Herman A. Finke of St. Louis was elected department commander of the United Spanish War Veterans of Missouri at the morning session of the convention here today. Mr. Finke received one vote more than the total polled by the other three candidates. The new commander had previously held this office. He succeeds J. W. Castini, also of St. Louis.

The total vote for department commander was: Finke, 39; Seaman, 17; Stotts, 13; Boston, 8. A motion was made to call the vote unanimous, but it failed of passage.

Charles W. Seaman, one of the defeated candidates, in an after-election speech, attacked the policy of giving the chief state office to St. Louis and Kansas City men always. He said:

"I came up here not to run for this office, but with my mind made up on the logical candidate. Harry D. Snyder of Maryville was the man for this office."

Mr. Snyder had been previously agreed upon as a compromise candidate and was to have received the support of all factions. He refused, however, to allow his name to be placed in nomination.

A. L. Shroeder of St. Joseph was elected senior vice-commander. He won the office over Charles R. Haggard of Joplin.

Mr. Snyder was chosen junior vice-commander. His election was unanimous, all other candidates withdrawing in his favor.

Dr. C. B. DeGroat of St. Louis was chosen department surgeon, and Francis Stevens of Webb City was re-elected chaplain. Leroy S. Yattaw of Trenton was chosen marshal.

Dr. C. P. Fryer received the greatest number of votes for delegate to the national convention in Des Moines, August 15-19. Other delegates elected were: H. O. Hendricks, St. Louis; J. O. Taylor, Joplin; and August Weiss, St. Louis.

Visiting At Bainum.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus McAlpin of Des Moines, Ia., and Mrs. Leon Stone of Wichita Falls, Tex., are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rounds at the Bainum Hotel today. Mrs. McAlpin and Mrs. Stone are Mr. Rounds' sisters.

Read the Want Ads.

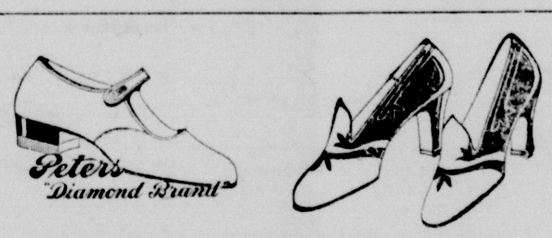
CLEARANCE

Spring

Our Spring Clearance Sale

Starts Friday, June 25 and Ends Saturday, July 3

This time of year brings broken sizes in good, desirable shoes, and as it is our policy each season to dispose of all merchandise at the close of the season, our good customers are going to have during this sale an opportunity to buy shoes at prices that are truly astounding. Come early to get your fit and best service.



WOMENS' SHOES

One lot of ladies' blonde pumps, $5.95 values	$4.95	One lot ladies' blonde pumps, $4.95 values	$3.95
One lot Ladies' Satin Pumps, $5.95 values; to close out this number	$3.95		
One lot of Ladies' Patent Pumps, $3.95 values. During our Spring Clearance	$2.95		
One lot Ladies' low heel Blonde Pumps; $3.95 values, to close out at	$2.95		
One lot of Ladies' Patent, fancy trim strap Pumps, $4.95 values, now	$3.95		
One lot of Ladies' Black Patent, fancy trim Pumps, $5.95 values, to close out this number	$4.45		
One lot of Ladies' low heel Patent Pumps, $4.95 values, during our Spring Clearance	$3.95		
Men's Genuine Rockford Seamless Socks. Special for our Spring Clearance Sale	10c		

MENS' SHOES

Men's Brown Kid Oxfords, in a wide toe or a straight last. $5.95 values	$4.95
Men's Black Kid Oxfords, in wide dress toes, $4.95 values. This sale	$3.95
One lot Men's Brown Dress Shoes, $3.95 values. Now is the time to buy	$2.95
Men's Brown Dress Shoes, in different toes, $4.95 values. Now	$3.95
Men's Retan Solid Leather Outing Shoe. Outstanding value	$1.65
Men's Solid Leather Work Shoes; cap toe, plain toe, up to $3.95 values	$2.95
Bring the children in and supply them with summer footwear at a savings. There are values here that will be long remembered.	
Ladies' Cotton Hose. Special during our value-giving Spring Clearance Sale	10c

Space will not permit us to mention all the many values offered in this Clearance Sale.

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